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ENORMOUS AMOUNT OF STREET WORK IS OUTLINED BY BOARD

IF PROPOSALS OF THE LOCAL BOARD OF IMPROVEMENTS ARE CONCURRED IN DIXON STREETS WILL RECEIVE MUCH NEEDED ATTENTION THIS YEAR—MANY BLOCKS OF PAVEMENT AND MACADAM ARE PLANNED AND COMMISSIONERS ARE ALSO READY TO BUILD NEW SIDEWALK AND NEEDED SEWERS.

COMMISSIONER SAYS FINANCES ARE IN GOOD SHAPE; ENGINEER EGAN HAS ONE ESTIMATE READY

Brick Pavement Is Planned Around Court House; on River Street, Commercial Alley and Hennepin Avenue—Chain of Macadam Will Start on Third Street, Running From Peoria to College Avenues, Thence Around on College Avenue and Sixth St. to Depot Avenue—Seventh Street Is Also to Be Macadamized—Many Blocks of Stone on North Side—Sidewalks and Sewers Will Be Built if Commissioners' Plans Are Adopted.

WORK PROPOSED BY THE LOCAL BOARD.

Brick Pavement.

Galena avenue from Second to Third streets.

Ottawa avenue from Second to Third street.

Second street from Ottawa avenue to Galena avenue.

Third street from Ottawa avenue to Galena avenue.

Commercial Alley from Peoria avenue to Crawford avenue.

River street from Hennepin avenue to Ottawa avenue.

Hennepin avenue from First street to River street.

Macadam.

Third street from Peoria avenue to College avenue.

College avenue from Third street to Sixth street.

Seventh street from Hennepin avenue to the Franklin Grove road.

Sixth street from College avenue to Depot avenue.

Galena avenue from Fellows street to I. C. tracks.

Everett street from Galena avenue to Dement avenue.

Fellows street from Dement avenue ot Assembly Park gate.

North Ottawa avenue from river north to limits.

Sidewalks.

Eight blocks of cement sidewalk.

Sewer.

Two sanitary sewers; one on the south and one on the north sides.

As a result of their deliberation during the winter the board of local improvements, composed of Mayor W. B. Brinton and Commissioners Henry Schmidt and W. A. Schuler, has outlined a list of improvements which they hope to have done this summer, and which if satisfactorily carried out, will result in exceptional activity in this line this summer and will give the present local board a record of which they may well be proud.

Will Install Much Brick.

If the board is successful in getting their plans approved by the courts, thousands of dollars will be spent on Dixon streets this summer, and instead of being in a state of coma while other cities are putting in good streets, Dixon will take a leap forward to a position equal to any of them.

The board proposes a great deal of brick work this year, and City Engineer J. M. Egan has received instructions to prepare as quickly as possible, estimates on the work outlined.

It is proposed to pave with brick around the court house; Commercial alley (one of the most traveled and incidentally one of the worst streets in the city) from Peoria avenue to Crawford avenue; River street from Hennepin avenue to Ottawa avenue; and Hennepin avenue from First street to River street.

Many Blocks of Macadam.

In addition to the above work the commissioners have outlined a series of macadam contracts which, if adopted, will do much to put many of the most heavily traveled streets in the city in excellent condition.

The board will specify that all macadam work shall be bound by a good bituminous filler, thus insuring permanency, and only the best grade of stone shall be used.

The macadam outlined by the board is as follows:

On Third street from Peoria avenue west to College avenue; thence,

On College avenue from Third street to Sixth street; thence,

On Sixth street from College avenue to Depot avenue.

On Seventh street from Hennepin avenue to the Franklin Grove road.

On North Galena avenue from Fellows street to the Illinois Central tracks.

On Fellows street from Dement avenue to the Rock River Assembly gates.

On Everett street from Galena avenue to Dement avenue.

On North Ottawa avenue from the river north to the city limits.

One Estimate Ready.

City Engineer Egan has been at work on the North Ottawa avenue macadam proposition and it is understood that his estimate is ready

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Prepares Summary New Automobile Law

An attorney hands this paper a condensed summary of the provisions of the new automobile law, which are of interest both to the automobilists and the public. The summary follows:

All licenses expire on the 31st of December of the year in which they are obtained.

The number plates are different for each year so that it is easy to distinguish between a number for the year 1911 and the year 1912. The numbers for the year 1912 are white on a black background. A failure to comply with these provisions of the law may subject the offender to a fine not to exceed $25.

When upon any public highway during the period from sunset to one hour before sunrise, every automobile shall exhibit two lights visible at least 200 feet in the direction in which it is going, and one red light in the rear which must be controlled from the outside of the car and not capable of being extinguished or lighted from the driver's seat.

No person shall drive an automobile upon a public highway at greater rate of speed than is reasonable and proper, having regard to the traffic so as to endanger the life or limb, and a speed of ten miles an hour through the business portion of a city, fifteen miles through the residence portion, twenty-five miles in the country outside of the city and six miles around corners where the vie wis obstructed, is prima facie evidence that the automobile is being driven at greater speed than is reasonable.

Racing upon the highways is prohibited.

The local authorities of cities, villages and towns shall have the power to see that the provisions of the act are complied with and prosecutions for that purpose an dthe same will be conducted as any other state case.

It is for the best interest of all auto owners to see that this law is complied with, and the law is intended for the protection of auto drivers as well as for any other persons. A reckless driver not only endangers persons riding with him, but all other autos that may happen to meet or overtake him.

HOW BAD TEETH INJURE HEALTH

LECTURE BY J. P. BUCKLEY AT OPERA HOUSE THIS AFTERNOON.

DENTAL DECAY AND DISEASE

The Care of First Permanent Molars Was Given Special Emphasis.

Dr. J. P. Buckley of Chicago delivered an address on "Teeth and Health" this afternoon at the opera house to an audience of parents and school children, which undoubtedly will do much toward the provision of proper care for the teeth of the children and grown-ups of this vicinity.

Prof. W. R. Snyder of the Dixon schools, presided at the meeting and there were a large number of pupils in attendance, inasmuch as the school authorities of the state are back of this movement to secure better health among the pupils. There were also many dentists present, from Dixon, Sterling, Rock Falls and other neighboring cities.

Dr. Buckley emphasized the necessity of good teeth in order to have good mastication, proper digestion and sufficient nourishment. Even the baby teeth should be kept sound: for if the teeth are tender the child does not chew well and forms the habit of bolting food and this bad habit continues through life, causing injury to health and shortening life itself. The craving for stimulants is also a frequent result of poor nourishment and so may be often traced to poor teeth.

Teeth Carry Contagion.

According to Dr. Buckley, contagion is carried in the cavities of decayed teeth from one person to another; the warm cavity filled with decaying matter being a receptacle and hotbed for all kinds of microbic organisms. Microbes are constantly carried from them into the lungs and stomach, producing a gradual poisoning of the body which will eventually cause illness. Tuberculosis is admitted both through direct blood infection and from the cavities and because of lowered power of resistance caused by poor nourishment.

Mistake Often Made.

He spoke of the especial importance of first permanent molar teeth the sixth counting back from the middle of the jaw, two above and two below. These four teeth are often mistaken for temporary ones and are carelessly allowed to perish. Is is their important function to hold the jaw in proper place while the other teeth are dropping out and the face loses character and the child's chances of success in life are injured if they are not lost and the jaws are allowed to come too close together. It is also important, said the doctor, not to let the child grow up disfigured by irregular teeth.

Good Habits Important.

Good habits are as hard to break as bad ones and that of brushing the teeth may be made permanent and save decay.

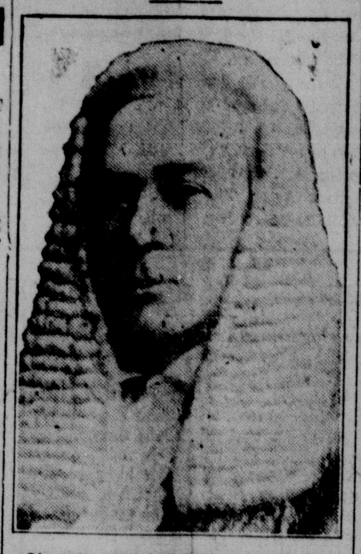
Dr. Berkley paid a tribute to the medical and dental professions for their able and unselfish work in joining in this great move for better care of children's teeth, and to the school officials who have taken up the work. The solution of this problem, he said rests largely with intelligent motherhood, bringing forth and training better and stronger sons and daughters.

BYERS IS ADVERTISING MANAGER

EXCELLENT WORK LAST SEASON WINS HIS POSITION AGAIN.

John H. Byers, formerly of the Telegraph staff and now secretary to Congressman J. C. McKenzie, has been re-engaged as advertising manager for the Rock River Assembly, and after the close of the present term of congress he will devote his time to giving the coming assembly greater publicity than has been given any previous meeting. Mr. Byers had charge of the advertising work last year and his work was so satisfactory that the members of the board did not consider anyone else this season.

LORD MERSEY



Sir John Charles Bigham, Lord Mersey, to head the court of inquiry on the Titanic disaster, in London. He was knighted when he became president of the probate, divorce and admiralty division of the High court.

BULLETIN.

ASTOR'S BODY WAS RECOVERED

MACKAY BENNETT IS SAILING TO HALIFAX WITH REMAINS OF VICTIMS.

New York, Apr. 26—Special—The bodies of Col. J. J. Astor, Isadore Straus and C. M. Hays who were lost in the Titanic disaster have been recovered by the steamer Mackay Bennett, which is on the way to Halifax. Forty-nine of the bodies found by the steamer have been identified.

Bodies on Iceberg.

A wireless from the Princess Irene states that it has sighted an iceberg on which are the bodies of 50 men.

MISSOURI GOES TO ROOSEVELT

GOV. HADLEY SWINGS STATE'S DELEGATION TO FORMER PRESIDENT.

St. Louis, Apr. 26—Gov. Hadley and friends today swung the republican convention for Roosevelt. Eight delegates at large were instructed for Roosevelt.

Baseball Results

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago	8	3	.727	Clev'land	5	6	.455
Boston	6	3	.667	Detroit	5	7	.417
Phil'el'ia	6	3	.667	St. Louis	5	7	.417
Wash'ton	5	4	.556	N. York	1	8	.111

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs.	W.	L.	P.C.	Clubs.	W.	L.	P.C.
Cncin'ati	8	2	.800	Chicago	4	5	.444
N. York	7	3	.700	Pittsb'rg	4	6	.400
Boston	6	5	.545	St. Louis	4	7	.364
Phil'el'ia	4	5	.444	Brooklyn	3	7	.300

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Col'mb's	11	2	.846	Kan. City	5	7	.417
St. Paul	8	5	.615	Mil'aukee	5	7	.417
Toledo	7	5	.583	Lo'isville	4	7	.364
Min'ap'lis	7	6	.538	Ind'ap'lis	2	10	.167

WESTERN LEAGUE.

St. Joe	5	1	.833	Omaha	3	3	.500
Topeka	4	2	.667	S. City	2	3	.400
Denver	4	2	.667	D. Moines	2	5	.286
Wichita	4	3	.571	Lincoln	0	5	.000

CENTRAL LEAGUE.

Whe'ling	1	0	1000	T. Haute	1	1	.500
Y'gsto'n	1	0	1000	G. Rapids	1	1	.500
S. Bend	1	1	.500	Dayton	1	1	.500
Sp'gfield	1	1	.500	Erie	1	1	.500
F. Wayne	1	1	.500	Z'n'sville	0	2	.000
Canton	1	1	.500	Akron	0	2	.000

Good Use for Wireless.

That wireless telegraphy is to be a powerful factor in the civilization of the world and in the opening up of the dark places still left untrodden, is proved by the fact that the commission appointed by the federal government to establish wireless stations in the forests of the Amazon is now actively engaged in the work intrusted to it. The commission has just penetrated through the 200 kilometers of virgin forest, the rivers being so low that canoes could only move with difficulty upstream. A station has been established at Senna Madureira, while the Alto Jurua service and the sub-Acrean stations have been opened to traffic. When the work of the commission is completed the forests of the Amazon will no longer be cut off from all human touch.

[illegible] New York City.

Miss Helen Spiller of Belvidere, who has been visiting in Dixon for a week, went to Sterlig today for a visit with her mother.

STATE BUILDINGS SUFFER FROM WIND

$15,000 ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION WILL NOW BE NECESSARY.

LOCAL DAMAGE IS NOT GREAT

Several Windmills Are Blown Down, But This Section Escape s Luckily.

Springfield, Apr. 26—Special to Telegraph—An appropriation of $10,000, in addition to the $20,000 embraced in a bill recently passed in the senate and now in the hands of the house for repairing the roof of the state house, will be necessary owing to the damage done by the storm last night, which completed the ruin commenced by last September's severe wind.

Some more roofing was torn from the dome of the building, and the pediment and the senate and house wings were also damaged. The roof was practically torn off and much copper roofing was damaged.

Damage Estimated at $10,000

Secretary of State Rose estimates the damage caused by last night's storm at $10,000, and also states that about $5,000 damage was done at the state fair grounds, where the ends of the grand stand were blown off and more roofing was torn from the Dome building, which was also damaged last September.

Woman Frightened to Death.

During the night Mrs. Fayette Adams, wife of the flag raiser at the state house, died from the shock occasioned by a tree blowing down onto their house.

Local Effects of Storm.

Reports from all parts which were covered by the sweeping windstorm of last night show that a great deal of damage was caused to property by the effects of the blow. The wind covered considerable territory and in almost all localities there have been losses reported.

On the Franklin Grove road two windmills have been reported demolished. One belonging to Kill Kime was completely ruined and Mr. Kime was compelled to secure a gasoline engine to secure a water supply for his stock until the mill could be replaced. Luther Burkett, in the same locality, lost a windmill also.

In Nelson township on the Moeller farm, the roof of the barn was ripped from the building and also that of the corncrib.

ARE WARNED OF NEW SWINDLE

DIXON HOUSEWIVES WILL TAKE HEED OF ROCKFORD'S EXPERIENCE.

Chief of Police Bargren of Rockford has uncovered a novel swindling game which has been practiced in that city and of which he is warning the officers of the surrounding towns. The scheme is worked by a gang of men, who blow into a town, make a quick canvass to secure old silverware, etc., which residents may wish to have replated at ridiculously low prices, after which they leave, taking the silverware with them. Dixon's housewives will be forewarned by this notice.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

705 feet above sea level.

Above data furnished by H. R. Spafford, assistant chief engnieer of the Illinois Central Railroad Company.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation are taken at 7 o'clock each morning and are for the preceding 24 hours:

Sunday	62	41	.04
Monday	65	42	.15
Thursday	69	57	

Chicago, Apr. 26—The forecast for the next 24 hours: Showers and thunderstorms tonight with northwest winds; clearing and cooler tomorrow.

SENATOR ELIHU ROOT

Senator Root, who is president of the American Society of International Law, delivered an address at the opening session of that organization's annual meeting in Washington.

TO DELIVER MEMORIAL ADDRESS

REV. F. D. STONE ACCEPTS INVITATION OF ROCHELLE VETERANS.

Rev. Fred D. Stone has been invited by the G. A. R. post at Rochelle to deliver the Memorial Day address in that city this year. Rev. Stone has accepted the invitation to make the speech.

TWENTY-SEVEN [TOO] EXAM

NINE SCHOOLS REPRESENTED BY PUPILS AT TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

Thirty-seven people took the teachers' examination at the county superintendent's office at the court house today. They comprised pupils from Dixon high, North Dixon high, Dixon college, Amboy, Harmon, Paw paw, Compton, Ashton and Lee Center.

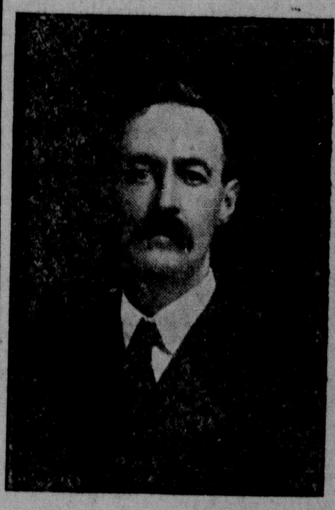
CO. G. LEFT FOR FRONT 14 YEARS AGO TODAY

LOCAL TROOPS IN CHARGE OF CAPT. M'GRATH ANSWERED THE CALL.

ANNIVERSARY SMOKER TONIGHT

Spanish War Veterans to Celebrate Occasion With Smoker at Armory Hall.

Fourteen years ago today 85 men of Dixon and vicinity left this city in response to the call of President Wm. McKinley to take part in the Spanish-American war. To most of the people who remember the occasion, and who saw the company march to the train, the intervening years have seemed short, but to the members of the company and especially those who went through the service in Porto Rico the years have passed quickly, and a number of their comrades have answered the last roll call.



CAPT. PHILIP M'GRATH.
Who Commanded Co. G When It Left for the Front 14 Years Ago Today.

Captain McGrath in Command

The men who had charge of Dixon's quota of the troops were Major Wm. E. Baldwin, commanding the Third Battalion of the Sixth regiment, in honor of whom the Dixon

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J. Pierpont Morgan Said To Be Back of Big Merger

The greatest consolidation of public service interests that has been known in the United States since the organization of the steel corporation, is now on foot with Chicago for its center and it affects all of the public service corporations in La Salle county. J. P. Morgan & Co, of New York, are interested in the deal.

The merger is accomplished at last and the official announcement will not be long delayed, says the Joliet Herald. The resulting combination of public service interests will be one of the most gigantic corporations in the country. It takes in electric roads, lighting systems, gas companies and in fact everything but the telephone lines, and as one of the big operators recently said to a Herald representative, "those lines are substantially under the same ownership also."

Long Time Forming

The merger of these public utilities has come through a long period of incubation. Though the project has long been in the minds of Samuel Insull, president, andd Charles A. Munroe, vice president of the Public Service company of Northern Illinois and their financial associates still it appears to have developed into greater proportions than they expected at the outset. Circumstances have operated to enlarge the original scheme by degrees. And the culmination now within sight is the outgrowth of a little thing, comparatively, the efforts of the holders of large blocks of the bonds of the Joliet & Southern Traction Company to make their holdings good.

Magnitude of the Scheme.

The magnitude of the scheme is so great as almost to defy conception, but the people behind the plan are accustomtd to thinking in millions. At the head of the great syndicate, which will control all of these public utilities, from the Chicago City Railway system to the ends of all radiating lines, and all electric lighting and gas properties that lie between them, is no other than J. Pierpont Morgan of New York, out of whose fertile brain came the great steel merger some years ago. Among the Chicago financiers who are directly involved in the new merger, are Samuel Insull, president of the Commonwealth-Edison company and Chas. A. Monroe, formerly the active head of the Economy Light and Power company of Joliet, which was taken in on the previous merger. Among the Chicago bankers who by seeking to protect the interests of their institutions opened the way for this great merger are Joy Morton, George M. Reynolds and N. W. Halsey.

Scope of Merger.

This great merger will control the destinies of public utilities from Indiana to the Mississippi river and from Chicago to St. Louis. The Chicago Southern Traction company's line runs from Chicago to Kankakee. The Chicago & Joliet Electric Railway company operates the Joliet city system and an interurban line to Chicago. The Joliet & Southern traction company operates interurban lines from Joliet to Aurora and Chicago Heights. The Aurora, Elgin & Chicago Electric Railway company operates an interurban line from Aurora and Elgin to Chicago and also controls other interurban lines running out of Aurora. The McKinley system or the Illinois Traction company, operates over 500 miles of interuaban road, extending to St. Louis. The Western United Gas and Electric company has plants in Joliet, Aurora, Elgin and LaGrange and supplies gas to a number of other towns in this section of the state.

SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

BIRTHDAY HOROSCOPES.
April 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18.

Are fond of society and not averse to making a show. Are not fond of hard work, but had rather direct. Weigh everything before you adopt or enter into it. Want home happy. Have great scientific ability; quick in thought and action, secretive and a good planner. You are a great lover of home. You calculate closely, and count the cost before starting.

April 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24.

Have moods of happiness and unhappiness. Sympathies expand and contract to conditions. Need much love, and give much. Can stand some flattery, and can get very angry. Have a great love for the mysterious; strong scientific learning. Are insatiable in your desire for knowledge. Are fond of home, and affectionate. Also fond of travel, particularly on water.

Euchre Club

The Wednesday Euchre club was entertained yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Michael Gaffney.

Bridge Club Met

The Northside Bridge club met with Mrs. H. G. Reynolds Wednesday afternoon.

Reception Saturday Evening

The members of the congregation of the North Side Evangelical church will hold a reception Saturday evening in the church for Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Weyant who will soon Dixon to make their future home in Leaf River.

Gave Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Marvin of the Chicago road gave a dinner last evening to a few friends

Woman's Club Will Meet.

The Dixon Woman's club will meet tomorrow afternooon at 2 'clock at the home of Mrs. W. B. McMahan, 316 Dixon avenue.

M. E. Choir Rehearsal.

The choir of the Methodist church will meet for regular rehearsal tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. A ful attendance of the members is especially requected.

A New Aid Society.

The ladies of the Kingdom and the Bend have organized a new aid society, which will meet every two weeks, the purpose of which is to sew for the needy and do any charitable work which will come under their observation. The following officers were elected at the first meeting, held at the home of Mrs. Floto:

President—Mrs. Ella Hintz.
Vice President—Mrs. Ida Rosbrook
Secretary—Mrs. Grace Floto.
Treasurer—Mrs. Lena Morris.

Dancing School.

The regular weekly session of the dancing school will be held this evening in Rosbrook hall and a large attendance is looked for. Cotillion figures will be led by Messrs. Jake Snyder, Dick Bovey, Gordon Utley, Irving Countryman and Dr. E. B. Owens. After the school an informal will be held, for which excellent additional music has been secured. A most enjoyable evening is anticipated, as Mrs. Collins has thoroughly interested her pupils and the results shown are excellent.

Royal Arch Masons to Banquet

The Royal Arch Masons will meet in their hall promptly at 6:30 Monday evening, April 29th. Supper will be furnished at that hour by the ladies of the Eastern Star and immediately after supper the degree will be conferred upon three candidates. Invitations have been extended to the Chapters of Amboy, Franklin Grove and Polo. A good turnout of home members will be appreciated.

Loyal Order of Moose.

The Loyal Order of Moose will hold their regular meeting in the new Moose hall. This will be a very important meeting as there are reports to be made from the special committees and also a large class to be initiated. Every member and especially every officer should be present. The new furniture has been put in the hall, making the Moose hall and clubroom one of the most attractive in Dixon. The Organizer, Bro. Dreskell, is doing great work. He has almost doubled the membership and will be glad to meet any one interested and explain the good features of the order.

Recital Tonight.

There will be a recital this evening at Prof. Strong's College of Music.

Mrs. A. L. Livingston.

Mrs. A. L. Livingston surpris d her husband last evening in honor of his birthday, with a 6 o'clock dinner. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Devine, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Greig, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson and Joseph Dauntler.

To Attend Party

Miss Elsie Schumm went to Chicago today to attend a dancing party given by the fraternity of Hahnemann hospital.

To Attend Dance.

Miss Gladys Gonnerman is assisting at the Eastman confectionery for the summer.

To Give Dance.

John Dixon lodge, O. M. P., will give a dance Saturda yevening in their hall, to which members and friends are cordially invited.

Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Reed entertained a number of friends last evening at tea in honor of their wedding anniversary. Roses and smilax decorated the table, at which were seated twelve guests. Mr. and Mrs. Reed reside near Polo. A number of hand some gifts were presented to the host and hostess, much cut glass being in evidence.

On Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Forrest will entertain next Monday evening on their wedding anniversary with a scramble supper.

Double Green Trading Stamps tomorrow. F. H. Messer, Coffee and Tea store.

To Give Luncheon.

Mrs. S. S. Dodge will entertain at the Nachusa House the first of next week with a luncheon for thirty-five ladies.

Aid Society Met.

The Palmyra Ladies' Mutual Aid society met Wednesday with Mrs. S. D. Eastwood in Dixon. Notwithstanding this is the busiest season of the year indoor and out, the number present was forty, thirty-five being members of the society, fully attesting to the popularity of these meetings. This delightful home is well arranged for gatherings of this kind, and all were most pleasantly entertained. A delicious scramble dinner was served at noon, as many in the country had to come some distance. This meeting was planned more for the social feature and not much outside work was done. The next meeting will be held May 8th and will meet with Mrs. Ed. Rhodes.

OUR WAY IS REAL PLEASURE

to you in getting relief from those awful throbbing headaches. Yes, and that stomach distress and weakness will go with them. I HAVE A MESSAGE FOR YOU.

Sick stomachs can not digest food any easier than sick women can do their work Neither can another stomach make food into blood for you.

Nature has her own way of changing food into blood and only by her help can you grow strong. Bouyant health is the charm of beauty.

DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE,

Neurologist and Health Instructor, 223 Crawford Ave., Dixon, Ill. Phone 160 for Appointments.

LADIES

These days you will find old Photographs and some relatives would like copies of these.

It requires special instruments and skill to copy Photos, we have both.

The HINTZ STUDIO
111 East First St.

CITY IN BRIEF.

—Buy your hat at Mrs. Miller's new Millinery Store, 314 W. First St. Special Sale until May 1st. Prices the lowest.

FOR RENT. Furnished rooms for ladies only. Call at 408 S. Hennepin Ave. 99 3*

Miss Ada Hardesty, shorthand instructor at the college, went to Chicago to spend Sunday.

Pete Morris was here from Chicago today.

B. F. Snyder, who has been on the sick list for a few days, is able to be out today.

Miss Elsie Schumm went to Chicago this morning to a dance there this evening given by her sorority.

Gordon Utley was in Sterling today on business.

TO HAVE CONGREGATIONAL MEET

BUSINESS SESSION TO FOLLOW SERVICES AT ST. JAMES SUNDAY.

The congregation of St. James church will hold a business meeting after the preaching service at the church Sunday afternoon. All members of the church and congregation are urged to attend the meeting.

DIXON BOWLERS IN TOURNAMENT

POOLE, SELF AND PETERS WILL COMPETE WITH BEST BOWLERS IN THE STATE.

Webster Poole and Charles Self went to Chicago today and will bowl in the state bowling tournament tomorrow, which is held at Bensinger's alleys. Otto Peters will bowl on Sunday at the same place.

MRS. CLEWELL DIED IN CHICAGO

FORMER DIXON RESIDENT DIED THERE ON THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Mrs. Mary Clewell, a former resident of this city and a sister of Thos. Tracy of Dixon, died at her home in Chicago yesterday afternoon. The remains will be brought here for burial and will arrive at 3:45 tomorrow afternoon. Burial will take place at Oakwood from the train. She leaves a husband and two daughters.

George H. Connelly of Chicago was here today on business with Jones & Slain.

JURY FOUND FOR MR. GOLD

WON CASE INSTITUTED AGAINST HIM BY THE ROYAL TAILORS.

A verdict in favor of the defendant in the case of Royal Tailors vs. Herman Gold of this city was returned yesterday by the jury. The jury was out only a short time when a verdict was reached. Attorney W. H. Winn represented the defendant. The jurymen were excused by the court for the rest of the term.

Not an Absolute Embargo.

The expert burglar, disdaining the use of explosives, had attacked the lock itself. "This may be a combination somewhat in restraint of my trade," he muttered, turning the knob slowly to the right again and listening intently, "but you couldn't call it a case of unreasonable restraint." Apparently his view was correct, for presently he was engaged in the unrestricted pursuit of his trade, and reaping large profits.

AMBOY SECTION

Amboy, Apr. 26—Mrs. Thomas Houghton and Miss Emma Houghton were in Dixon yesterday.

George Miller of Lee Center was here yesterday.

Frank Yocum was here yesterday from West Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hark of Lee Center went to Dixon from here yesterday.

Lafayette Long of Sublette was in town yesterday.

There was a dancing party in the opera house last evening. Music was furnished by a Freeport orchestra.

Lemuel Searles was in Dixon yesterday on business.

Miss Anna Theiss came up from Sublette yesterday morning.

C. Rockwood of East Inlet was in town yesterday.

Frank Walters went to Dixon yesterday morning.

Bert Willis was in yesterday from Lee Center.

George Antoine went to Dixon for the day yesterday.

Lyle Wilcox of Sterling was in town yesterday morning transacting business.

Misses Anna and Ruth Ayres went to Dixon yesterday to spend the day shopping.

Mrs. Adelaide Chase of Rock Island has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Deborah Chase. Mrs. Chase has just returned from New York where she spent several months.

MEXICANS IN HOT BATTLE

Newspapers of Country Viciously Hostile to U. S.—Openly Urge War.

El Paso, Tex., April 26.—Hot fighting took place at Culiacan and Tepic between federal and rebel forces. The causualties are heavy on both sides. General Orozco has taken personal command of the rebel forces before Jiminez and declares he is ready to meet the federals in a decisive battle. His representative in the United States has thrown up his commission and his junta in New York and telegraphed an appeal for intervention.

The Mexican newspapers have assumed a viciously hostile attitude toward the United States and several of them openly urge war with this country.

Puzzled.

"What's the matter, John?" "Why, ma'am, here's a note from the master in which he tells me that he's off on a little holiday and he wants me to send his drawing materials along." "Well, and isn't that plain enough?" "Hardly, ma'am. I don't know whether to send his paint brushes or a corkscrew."

Exposed.

Transient—"Was the show last night the real thing, as they advertised?" Uncle Eben—"Real thing, nothing. It was a fake. The boys exposed it. We got hold of the fellow who played the villain, and after riding him around town he finally confessed that he warn't no real villain after all; just pretendin'."—Lippincott's.

Knowledge Must Be His Guide.

As the Spanish proverb says, "He who would bring home the wealth of the Indies must carry the wealth of the Indies with him." So it is in traveling: A man must carry knowledge with him if he would bring home knowledge.—Samuel Johnson.

Bright Conundrum.

The following conundrum in a German paper is worth repeating, for, though depending on a play of words, it is good in either language. Why is a slate like matrimony? Because young girls reckon on both.

Responsibilities of Citizenship.

The duties of citizens are not fulfilled so long as there is a single hovel in a city; a man, woman, or child sweated, or a hungry, uncared-for child in their midst.—Exchange.

Wail of the Pessimist.

On the whole, and with recognition of size as a determining factor, the choice appears to lie between a short life and a merry one, or linked dullness long drawn out. If you whirl about singing and dancing and improving each shining minute of the shining hour, like skylarks and nightingales, you die of senility at the age of eight. But a creature like a tortoise, that can sit and do nothing for days on end save wink its eye once, may watch the rise and fall of dynasties, and feel no older at the end of it.—Exchange.

Not Ready to Retire at Eighty.

Joseph Choate of New York, formerly ambassador to Great Britain, is eighty years old, but has not yet thought about giving up his law practice, from which his only prolonged absence has been his stay in London from 1899 to 1905. Recently he and Mrs. Choate celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage.

JUSTIFICATION IS CLAIMED BY T. R.

Was Right Not to Prosecute Harvester Trust, Says Roosevelt.

FOLLOWED CABINET ADVICE

Colonel Reads Telegraphic Report of President Taft's Attack—Will Answer It on Trip to Massachusetts—"Fight Is On."

Oyster Bay, N. Y., April 26.—Justification for his failure to prosecute the Harvester trust during his presidency is claimed by Colonel Roosevelt in a dictated statement of more than 2,000 words, given by him at Sagamore Hill.

The ex-president, making his statement as a reply to the stack of Harvester trust documents made public at Washington, says he was advised by his cabinet to follow the suggestion of Commissioner of Corporations Smith, who asked that no prosecution be ordered until he had completed an investigation desired by the senate.

Taft Member of Cabinet.

Roosevelt pointed out that, sitting in his cabinet when the decision to suspend proceedings was reached, was Mr. Taft, then secretary of war. The colonel, in giving out the statement, especially drew attention to his observation as to the alleged influence of the Morgan interests in his handling of the Harvester trust. In this connection he asserts that when the Northern Securities suit, involving Morgan, was filed under his instructions, he was about to run for the presidency. This was in 1904. He makes the point that he had no fear of Morgan and did not knuckle to him.

The colonel also points out that Mr. Taft did nothing with the Harvester trust, although knowing all that had gone on during Roosevelt's regime, until five days ago. Roosevelt wanted especial emphasis laid upon that.

Roosevelt Hears of Taft's Speech.

Roosevelt heard of the attack made upon him in Springfield by President Taft. A correspondent showed him a telegraphic report of the president's denunciation and Roosevelt read it slowly. The colonel's countenance betrayed no evidence of anger as he read Mr. Taft's characterization of him as "too dangerous to be trusted with the presidency." With equanimity he read the telegraphic report that "Mr. Taft, his voice shaking with emotion, warned the people that they were in danger of a dictator who, once he received the third term, would cling like a leech to the White House and never leave it until death intervened."

The ex-president handed the dispatch back to the correspondent and smiled.

"That is the first time I have heard of a dictator being compared to a leech," he remarked cynically.

Asked if he would reply to Mr. Taft's excoriation of him, Roosevelt quickly answered:

"I will reply to it, but not tonight. I will answer it on my trip to Massachusetts. You might say," the Rough Rider went on, snapping his words, "that the fight is on. I have only just begun."

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Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

The Four Mognins, the musical barbers, opened at the Family theatre last night for the balance of the week and pleased a large crowd. Princess Regina, the Gypsy violinist, is a capable artist and at once proved that she is a musician in every sense of the word. Hoyne & Hoyne were a disappointment to the management and the act was cancelled after the first show.

The Four Magnins, Musical Bar-bers at the Family Theatre.

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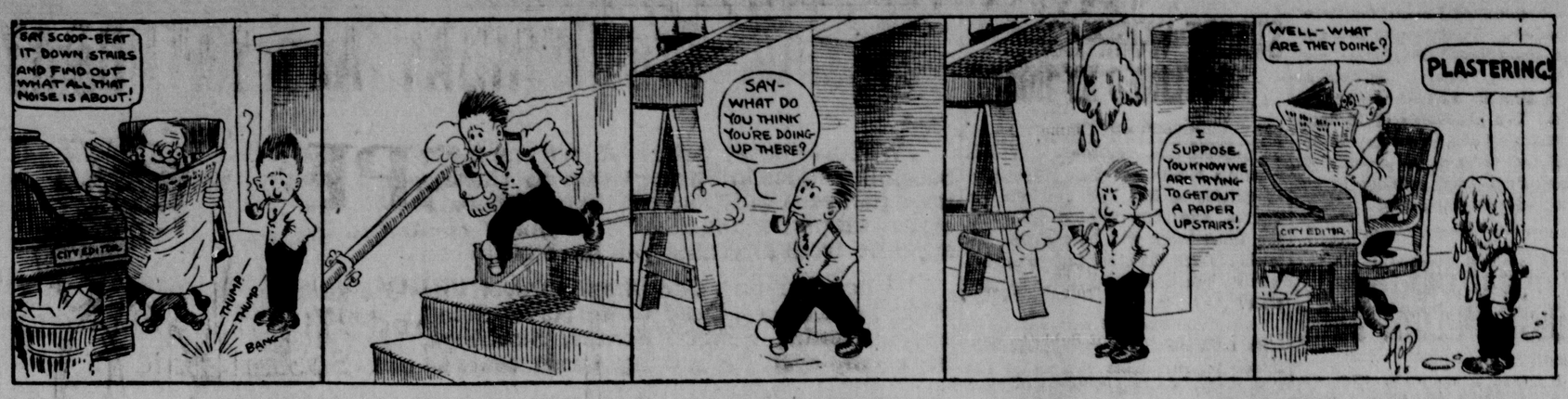

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DEMENTTOWN

G. E. Boynton was in Morrison yesterday.

A well known Dementtown father of numerous and divers children says the statement that there's a charm in having a bit of feminity around the house is all right unless you have five or six unmarried daughters, in which case the charm sort of wears off.

Friends of Charles Slain, democratic candidate for coroner, who missed him from his place of business today and who made inquiries for him, were informed that he was "sticking around home." Further detective work brought out the information that he is hanging wall paper at home.

The government report says there are more bank notes in circulation now than there have ever been before—and Siebolt affirms that they keep right on circulating, too.

Mayor Vaile says he has always quit smoking just before an election, and is positive that in so doing he has added at least 15 years to his life. Which proves that Dementtown's executive is a man of foresight and wisdom.

Did you ever, when at some social function, admire some pretty woman's back only to find later that it was your wife with her hair done up some new way?

Ever Present Impulses.

To ask a man how much his new suit cost.

To eat a muskmelon in the good old fashioned way, just as if you were playing a mouth organ.

Also to eat about three more pancakes than you can really stand.

Here's a Hot One.

Our friend E. C. says that every time you hear of a woman shedding scalding tears you may be dead sure she's boiling over with rage.

Goose Hollow Letter.

Miss Amy Startle, our poetess and regular contributor to a number of magazines, says she has a great deal of trouble in preparing her stuff, because every time she sits down to write she can't think of nothing. It seems to us she hadn't oughter have so much trouble in selling her dope then.

Elmer Hicks says there is some women he runs across that he can't see through at all. By hickory if he can see through any of 'em he's a dandy.

Rev. Hardshell says no man can violate the laws of compensation. We'd therefore like to ask the Rev. Hardshell how he figgers out Hank Purdy can keep on prosperin' and bein' happy when he has owed us for the paper for the last 15 years.

COLUMBUS, GA., IS BURNING

Fire Does Great Damage in the Residential Section.

Columbus, Ga., April 26.—Several blocks in the principal residential section of this city have been destroyed by flames and the fire continued to burn unchecked. The loss is estimated at more than $250,000. Water pressure is low and apparently the only means of checking the fire will be by dynamiting buildings in its path. Aid has been sent from neighboring cities.

TRAIN BLOWN FROM TRACK

29 Injured in Nebraska When Tornado Hits U. P. Coaches.

Omaha, Neb., April 26.—Twenty-nine persons were injured, one of them perhaps fatally, when a high wind struck Union Pacific passenger train No. 35, one mile west of North Loup, Neb. The entire train, the engine excepted, was blown from the track and all the cars overturned. A mile of telegraph line was blown down.

Many Homes Destroyed.

Birmingham, Ala., April 26.—Nineteen houses, principally homes of persons employed in the foundries, machine-shops and adjacent plants in East Birmingham, were destroyed by fire here.

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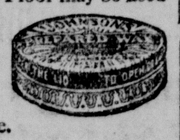

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CANADA JOINS U.S. IN TITANIC QUIZ

Mount Temple Officers Must Tell If They Disregarded Help Calls.

GILL'S STORY IS CONFIRMED

Marconi, Before Senate Investigators, Admits He Consented to Holding Up of News by Wireless Operators.

The Canadian government has taken cognizance of the alleged refusal of the C. P. R. liner Mount Temple to heed the distress signals from the sinking Titanic, and a rigid inquiry has been started at Ottawa.

Further evidence from Boston bears out the statement of Ernest Gill, a sailor on the Leyland liner Californian, that this ship also disregarded the Titanic's calls for help.

Sailors on the liner Saturnia also declare they were within five miles of the Titanic on the night of the disaster, and that her officers refused to go to the help of the sinking White Star ship.

The cable ship Mackay-Bennett is nearing Halifax with 205 bodies of the victims. Of these but forty-three have been identified. From the meager wireless dispatches it is thought the bodies of Maj. Archibald W. Butt and William T. Stead are among the identified.

Guglielmo Marconi, inventor and controller of the wireless telegraph, before the senate investigators admitted that he gave his consent to wireless operators on the Carpathia to sell their news of the disaster, but denied that he wired them to hold the news until their own price was reached.

Paris, April 25.—The Titanic, after striking an iceberg on the night of April 14 and sending out wireless distress calls, received replies from no less than seven ships, but refused to communicate with any of them not vessels of her own line. One of her early signals was picked up by the Frankfurt, then only 150 miles away, but she refused to answer the Frankfurt's calls. She would only communicate with her sister ship, the Olympic. The foregoing facts, which seem indubitable, stand out from the report of the first operator on La Provence of the French line, which was incorporated by Captain Vesco in his report to his company upon his arrival here.

Washington, April 26.—Wireless messages, intended for the operator on the Carpathia, and intercepted by the United States battleship Florida read before the senate investigating subcommittee, proved beyond doubt that the officers of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph company, not alone gave their consent, but entered into an agreement to barter the news from the rescue ship and hold back for their own price the details of the sinking of the Titanic.

Marconi a Witness.

Guglielmo Marconi, chairman of the Marconi company, was grilled by Chairman Smith on the matter. He was on the stand when the wireless messages were read.

"I am going to read you some messages and ask you what you have to say about them," said Senator Smith and he astonished his auditors by reading four wireless messages intercepted by the United States battleship Florida and transmitted by its commander to the secretary of the navy.

"These messages," said Chairman Smith, "were intercepted by J. C. Simpson, chief electrician of the United States navy. I will read them.

"No. 1 reads: 'Seagate, N. Y., to Marconi man of Carpathia, 8:12 p. m.—Say, old man, taking good care of you. Keep your mouth shut and hold your story. It is fixed for you so you will get money. Please do your best to clear.'

"No. 2—April 18, 8:30 p. m.—Seagate, to Carpathia—Marconi men, Carpathia and Titanic—Arranged for your exclusive story for dollars in four figures, Mr. Marconi agreeing to say nothing until you see me. Where are you now? (Signed)—J. M. Sammis.'

"No. 3—9 p. m. Seagate to Carpathia. Go to Strand hotel, 502 West Fourteenth street, to meet Mr. Marconi. (Signed)—S."

"No. 4—April 18, 9:33 p. m.—Personal. To Operator Carpathia: Meet Mr. Marconi and Mr. Sammis at Strand hotel, 502 West Fourteenth street. Keep your mouth shut. (Signed)—Marconi."

Denies Sending Messages.

The witness' face reddened while these messages were read by Senator Smith and he sat with his chin in his right hand, his elbow resting on the chair arm.

"What do you want to say about these messages, Mr. Marconi?"

"I can only say I know nothing about them," was the declaration of the inventor.

New York, April 26.—Two hundred and five bodies of the victims of the Titanic disaster have been picked up at sea by the cable steamer Mackay-Bennett and are being brought back to Halifax, N. S. Forty-three of these bodies have been identified.

The captain of the Mackay-Bennett confirms the identification of George D. Widener, son of P. A. B. Widener of Philadelphia, in a wireless dispatch to the White Star line.

PRESIDENT TAFT HITS ROOSEVELT

Says Ex-President Does Not Know What a Square Deal Is.

MAKES FIRST ATTACK ON T. R.

Declares Colonel Has Been and Still Is Deceiving the People—Executive Denies He Said Only a Few Should Rule.

Boston, April 26.—In his Boston speech President Taft delivered a more extended amplification of the briefer speeches that were heard by ens of thousands of persons at Springfield, Worcester and half a dozen smaller manufacturing centers. He has set the whole state agog with excitement, and keyed to a higher pitch than ever interest in the crucial primary fight for delegates to the Republican national convention that will take place here next Tuesday.

Springfield, Mass., April 26.—For the first time, President Taft has brought his guns to bear upon Theodore Roosevelt in the fight for the Republican presidential nomination and characterized the former president as an "over-ambitious man, who does not know what a square deal means."

Ten thousand people heard the president attack the tactics of his former chief and he was cheered time and time again when he held up Colonel Roosevelt as a foe to the Constitution and a man who had forgotten, or who chose to ignore, his pledges to the people.

"Neither in theory or word or deed have I been disloyal to the friendship I owed Theodore Roosevelt," said the president. "I let it be known, like most of my predecessors, that I would seek the approval of my countrymen upon my administration in office, and that could come only by a renomination by my party and by reelection by the people."

"Said He Would Not Run."

"Theodore Roosevelt said he would not be a candidate again for president and that to be a candidate would be a calamity to himself on many accounts.

"I never attacked Theodore Roosevelt and he won't make a quarrel with me now, because I won't quarrel with him. His Ohio speech did not have the effect throughout the country that he expected. So ever since, with his ambitions in the ascendant, he has engaged himself in abuse of my administration and in charges against me.

"So far as my personal feeling is concerned, I would not deign a reply. I would allow the future to develop the truth of what he said, or whether I have been sincere to enforce the law and discharge my duty as I see it.

"But I can't act for myself. I represent a cause and represent an element in the Republican party that believes the Constitution should be preserved and not destroyed.

"Theodore Roosevelt has deceived the people and is still deceiving a large part of them, and I can't keep silent because the cause I represent is entitled to have my defense.

"Must Answer His Charges."

"Colonel Roosevelt says that I favor an oligarchy of bosses; that I represent special interests and that I am not progressive, and that I am reactionary; that I am stealing delegates to the convention and using dirty implements in the primaries and that the patronage of the government is being shamelessly spent to secure my nomination. I have got to take up those charges.

"Theodore Roosevelt uses the maxims of the sporting world. One of these is the 'square deal for all.' I ask you what you think of the square deal as he gives it to me. He garbled my Toledo speech and twisted it so as to make me believe in the government of the few. I never said any such thing. That's his idea of a square deal. I ask you if Abraham Lincoln, whom Theodore Roosevelt likens himself to, would do anything like that?"

JEWS KEPT WITH BEASTS

Refugees in Morocco Hover Among Animals in Sultan's Garden.

Fez, Morocco, April 26.—The Jewish quarter of Fez presents a lamentable spectacle as a result of the recent pillaging by the revolting populace and mutinuous Moorish soldiers. Of the 12,000 Jewish residents of the capital no fewer than 7,000 have been rendered homeless by fire, and these have taken refuge, naked and hungry, in the gardens of the Sultan's palace. Hundreds of emaciated human beings are huddled together there in iron cages of the Sultan's menagerie, and these are surrounded by cages containing wild beasts which, maddened by the sight of human flesh, fill the gardens with their roars.

Omaha Buys Catcher Johnson.

Des Moines, Ia., April 26.—Manager Rourke of the Omaha Western league club announced the purchase of Catcher "Hickory" Johnson from the St. Louis Nationals.

Ross R. Winans Is Dead.

Baltimore, April 26.—Ross Revillon Winans, millionaire capitalist and member of the renowned Winans family, is dead here. He was sixty-two years old.

GEN. GRANT IS BURIED

Remains Accorded Full Military Honors When Interred.

Interment at West Point After Services at Governor Island—Ceremony Was Very Simple.

West Point, N. Y., April 26.—With full military honors and the salute of 13 guns, the remains of Gen. Frederick Dent Grant were lowered into the tomb here today. The simple services at the cemetery were preceded this morning by more elaborate services in the chapel at Governor's Island, after which the casket, on an artillery caisson, was taken to South Ferry and thence to the Forty-second street ferry. The escort, under command of Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, included one regiment of infantry, two troops of cavalry and one battalion of artillery of the regular army, troops from the New York national guard, the Veteran Artillery corps and U. S. Grant post, G. A. R.

Ferry boats draped in black transported the body and its escort across the Hudson river to Weehawken, where a special train was waiting to take the members of the Grant family and prominent army and government officials to West Point. There the train was met by a regiment of cadets of the United States Military academy, which escorted the body to its final resting place.

Flood Victims Still Helped.

Cairo, Ill., April 26.—More than fifty families who lost their homes by the flood in this city are still being fed by commissary. The flood gates, which shuts Cairo off from the drainage district, have been raised.

Fires Powder; Sits on It.

Calumet, Mich., April 26.—Charles Wilks, aged fifty-five, committed suicide here by setting fire to a box of blasting powder and sitting on it. He was blown to bits.

Sign of a Weak Mind.

In matter of great concern, and which must be done, there is no surer argument of a weak mind than irresolution.—Tilleston.

Has No Bank Account.

The world owes every man a living, but it doesn't send out checks.

In A Railroad Wreck

A large shipment of Lady's High Grade Shoes, shipped March the First from New York by Express to Ford's Cash Shoe Store was wrecked in Indiana and did not arrive until March 30 The shipment contained the Famous Lady Health Shoe, Tread Easy with Cork Cushion sole and hollow rubber heal, the gypsy cut Nurse for tender feet, the Ford's Special $3, those shoes are in high and low heels in Goodyear welt and hand turned. All width from A to EE button and lace, Blucher's up-to-minute in style We have decided to put on sale April the 1st at the following low prices;

Tread Easy, sale price $3, regular price $3.50
Nurse shoe, " " $2.65 " " $3.00
Ford's $3 Special, " $2.65 " " $3.00

Come soon as these goods won't last long At these low prices.

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EDITORIAL.

It is to be hoped that the citizens of Dixon who are about to vote upon the lighting franchise will give the matter their earnest and serious consideration, and while the Telegraph is anxious to safeguard the interests of the city as far as possible, we must not overlook the fact that there are many provisions in the new franchise of special advantage to the city not found in the old ordinance, which has a number of years to run. If the proposed grant is defeated the benefits to be derived by Dixon in having a company with sufficient capital to make the necessary improvements and provide for the future development of our city will remove the feeling that Dixon has been held back by reason of her inadequate facilities, which we know to be true as the Telegraph has been one of the chief sufferers by reason of that condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Noble were in Chicago yesterday.

CO. G. LEFT FOR FRONT 14 YEARS AGO TODAY

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camp, United Spanish War Veterans was named; Capt. Philip H. McGrath, First Lieutenant Charles E. Frisby and Second Lieutenant Henry B. Trowbridge.

Sam Cushing, present commander of Co. G, was at that time trumpeter sergeant to Major Baldwin and after the troops were mustered into the national service he was made a sergeant in Co. G. Since that time by conscientious and steadfast work Mr. Cushing has earned his captaincy and command.

Anniversary Smoker.

In commemoration of their leaving the city the members of the Baldwin Camp United Spanish War Veterans have arranged for an anniversary smoker at Armory hall this evening to which every man who left Dixon with the company on April 26, 1898, whether he was accepted by the government or not, is invited.

Double Green Trading Stamps tomorrow. F. H. Messer, Coffee and Tea store.

John Wasley returned from Chicago last evening accompanied by his grandson.

A TRIO OF SMART STYLES

Are these you see illustrated here. They will be the popular and prevailing lasts in summer oxfords--- We show these new oxfords in tan, gun metal, wax calf and patent leathers. Button, blucher or bal styles.

Prices at $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00.

VAILE AND O'MALLEY

RED GOOSE BEATS BOYS IN FOOT RACE

SENATE, A TRAINED FOWL, WAS CHARMING ENTERTAINER FOR KIDS.

Over 500 school children were entertained yesterday afternoon by the famous goose, Senate, in the interests of the Red Goose School shoes, sold by Henry Lebowich. The goose was trained perfectly by the man in charge and under his direction told fortunes and performed several other minor tricks. The main feature of the afternoon was the racing between the children and the goose. Senate was hard to beat by the boys, the goose getting the firse prize for himself. Senate is very partial to the ladies and in the race with the girls he was defeated by them. The first prize, pair of shoes, won by a little lady from Chicago, Nancy Morrison, a niece of Rev. Whitcombe. Hazel Beckingham, 415 Upham Place, won second place, $1 in cash; Lucy Fagan of 318 Monroe avenue got third money, 50 cents, and Pauline Adams, 404 West Third street, got fourth prize, 25 cents.

In the boys race Edwin Flemming, 406 Jackson avenue, secured the second prize, $1 in cash; Frank Mahon, next, getting 50 cents and Arthur Builta, 310 Grant avenue, got third money, 25 cents.

BABY REMINGTON IS DEAD

INFANT CHILD OF MR. AND MRS. JOHN REMINGTON DIED AT HOSPITAL.

The three-days-old child of Mr. and Mrs. John Remington died yesterday at the hospital. Burial took place this morning in Oakwood cemetery. Friends of the parents extend sincere sympathy.

MRS. LYDIA MARTIN IS DEAD

A FORMER RESIDENT OF DIXON PASSED AWAY IN PONTIAC LAST NIGHT.

Mrs. Lydia Martin died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. N. Close of Pontiac last evening at 7:30 o'clock. The remains will arrive in Dixon tomorrow evening at 5:30 and the funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at the home of her son Clarence Wilson, 1102 West Third street. Rev. F. D. Stone will officiate and burial will be at Oakwood. Mrs. Martin formerly lived in this city and will be remembered by many friends who will mourn her death.

The Home Lumber Co. will quote you low prices on all kinds of building material. W. A. Schuler. 99 6

ciation has invited the suffragists of the Mississippi Valley states to a conference upon Local Problems and How to Solve Them, to be held at Chicago, May 21, 22 and 23 at Hotel LaSalle. The presidents of 16 state organizations have called for co-operation and service, on account of the campaigns now pending in six middle and western states.

STREET WORK AS OUTLINED BY BOARD

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for presentation. The board will have a public hearin gon this proposition as quickly as Mr. Egan submits his figures, and following the hearing the court work will be rushed; following which the other improvements will be taken up as quickly as possible.

Sidewalks and Sewers.

In addition to the great amount of street improvements laid out, the board has considered sidewalk and sewer propositions and as a result have provided for eight blocks of cement sidewalk on the south side of the river and two sanitary sewers, one on each side of the stream.

Financial Condition Right.

Commissioner Schmidt, who is in charge of the accounts and finances of the city, reports that the city was never in better financial condition to take care of such an amount of work and he is confident the extensive improvements will materialize.

DENTISTS HELD CONVENTION HERE

LEE-WHITESIDE DENTAL ASSOCIATION IN REGULAR CONVENTION.

The Lee-Whiteside Dental society convened for their regular convention this afternoon at the city hall at 1 o'clock. The meeting opened with a paper by Dr. Don M. Gallie of Chicago, on the subject, "Cavity Preparation and the Value of School Inspection." Dr. Gallie's paper was thoroughly enjoyed by the dentists in attendance as the speaker in a clear and definite manner treated his subject in detail. The paper tended to show the importance of this order of things for the welfare of the teeth, and if carried out would make a great change in conditions which exist.

Dr. Sims of Chicago read a paper following Dr. Gallie in which he treated the subject, "A New Method of Dealing with the Advertising Dentist; or Raising the Standard of Dentistry." He handled his subject in an able manner, showing the evil effects brought onto the dental profession by the unscrupulous practitioner. A discussion followed this paper, which was opened by Dr. McWethy of this city. The discussion was entered into by many present and was an important feature of the meeting.

At 3 o'clock the dentists went to the opera house, where they listened to Dr. J. P. Buckley of Chicago, who addressed the public and many school children on the important topic of the day, "Teeth and Health."

Evening Session.

Tonight there will be a session at 7 o'clock which will open with a paper by Dr. Teskey of Shabbona on the subject, "Some Causes of Failure in Plate Work."

Discussion by Dr. Moss, of this city.

Clinic: Using Alexander's Plastic Gold in Inlays—Dr. J. W. Worsley, Dixon.

There are about 20 dentists in session from Dixon, Sterling, Rock Falls Morrison and other places in the two counties.

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Reports from down the river are to the effect that a number of parties of clam fishers are at work. The men are working in the vicinity of Como and the shells are being loaded at Galt.

Raymond McGowan returned from a commercial trip for a short visit at home.

Mrs. Lillian Harned has returned from a six weeks' visit with her son, Frank Harned, at Winnetka.

Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Starin were in Chicago yesterday.

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Dr. and Mrs. Rolla Jennings, Rock Falls, were visitors in Dixon this afternoon.

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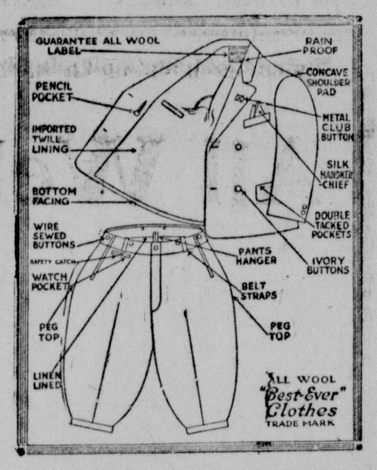

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2000 BOYS JOIN SCOUT MOVEMENT EVERY WEEK, SAYS WEST

AWARDS OF TENDERFOOT, SECOND CLASS AND FIRST CLASS SCOUT BADGES IN THE LAST NINE WEEKS AMOUNT TO 22,500—OF THAT NUMBER 18,000 WERE BOYS QUALIFYING AS TENDERFEET — APPLICATIONS FOR COMMISSIONS AS SCOUT MASTERS KEEP UP IN SAME RATIO.

The manner in which the boys of United States are taking up scouting is shown by the fact that in the last nine weeks 22,500 boys have received badges from the headquarters of the Boy Scouts of America. Jas. E. West, Chief Scout Executive of the Boy Scouts of America who made this announcement points out that in other words the average has been about 2,500 badges a week. Of the total number 17,000 boys have won Tenderfoot badges, 4,500 won Second Class badges and 1,000 First Class badges.

The number of Tenderfoot badges awarded to the boys shows that in the last nine weeks the boys through out the country have been qualifying as Tenderfeet, which is the first stage of scouting. Of course the boys who get Second Class and First Class scout badges have been engaged in scouting activities for several months and already have obtained their Tenderfoot badges. In the last nine weeks scoutmasters or the men who have charge of the troops of boy scouts have been joining the scout movement at the rate of about 90 a week. There are about 24 boys in a patrol and it is clear that the applications for commissions as scoutmasters and the orders of the boys forbadges are in about the same ratio.

Reports coming into National head quarters confirm in other ways the continued growth of the scout movement. In Philadelphia, Leo T. Tierney, executive secretary, and J. W. Patton, field secretary, are working on a basis of organizing one troop of boy scouts every day. Patton reports that the boys everywhere are eager to become scouts and he is receiving innumerable requests from boys to form troops. In Chicago come reports of similar activity. In Boston, O. E. Loomis reports increasing activityy with the coming of the spring.

ALBERT O'MALLEY ABLE TO BE ON STREETS AGAIN

Many Dixon friends of Albert O'Malley of Sterling will be pleased to learn that he has recovered sufficiently from his long illness to be able to go down town in a wheel chair. It is hoped his convalescence will be rapid, now that he is able to be out.

BELVIDERE TO HAVE BIG CELEBRATION ON FOURTH

Under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias of Belvidere a big old fashioned Fourth of July celebration will be held there this year. As part of the military end of the affair all of the uniformed companies K. P. in this section of the country will be invited to take part and a squadron of cavalry from Fort Sheridan will be present.

Church Announcement

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

316 First St.
Sunday service 11 a. m. Subject.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Wednesday testimony meeting at 8 p. m.
Reading rooms at 316 First St., open daily except Sunday from 2 to 4 p. m. All Christian Science literature may be read and procured here.
Everybody welcome to services and reading rooms.

SUGAR GROVE.

Rev. Fred D. Stone will preach at Sugar Grove Sunday at 3 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. L. P. Parker of Chicago will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church both morning and evening the coming Sabbath.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN.

F. D. Altman, D. D., Pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Worship, 11 a. m.
Young People's Meeting at 6:45 p. m.
Evening service, 7:30.
Midweek, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

ZION'S LUTHERAN.

Sunday school, 2 p. m.
Church service, 3 p. m.
Rev. F. D. Altman, supply.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. H J. Green of Utica, Ill., will preach morning and evening at the Baptist church on Sunday.
Sunday school services at 9:45 a. m.

GRACE EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching by the pastor at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.
K. L. C. E. at 6:45 p. m.
Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7:45 p. m.
Everybody cordially welcome.
We are glad to announce the following talent for Oakdale Camp Meeting, August 15 to 25. Among the speakers will be Bishop R. Dubs, D D., LL. D.; General Secretary Bailey of this city. Mr. P. P. Bilhorn will have charge of the singing.
Geo. A. Smith, Pastor.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Samuel E. Fisher, Minister.
The minister and his family are now located in their new home at 703 North Crawford avenue. His phone number is now 14805. He trusts that those who know of persons who need his attention will call him.
The congregation and minister are very grateful to Mr. H. L. Fordham for the helpful messages of last Lord's day.
Next Sunday will finish the minister's second year with the church. These have been years of pleasantness and fruitage. A report will be made later.
Subjects for next Sunday will be as folllows:
Morning: "Jesus and the Samaritan Woman."
Evening: "Character Study; The Rich Worldling."
All are invited and welcome to our services.

NACHUSA LUTHERAN.

Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Divine worship, 11 a. m.
Evening service, 7:30.
Prayer meeting and choir rehearsal Wednesday evening, at 7:30.
The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society will meet Thursday, May 2, the first Thursday of the month instead of the second, as formerly. The change is made that the society can accept the invitation of the Missionary society of St. James church to meet with them Thursday, May 9th.

ST. JAMES CHURCH.

Sunday school at 1 p. m. Service at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. M. Herbst will supply the pulpit.

METHODIST CHURCH

Public worship at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
The pastor will preach morning and evening.
Fred D. Stone, Pastor.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.

Rev. A. B. Whitcombe, Rector.
The Third Sunday after Easter.
Holy Eucharist, 7:30.
Sunday school, 10:00.
Morning prayer, 11:00.
All are cordially welcome.

CHURCH OF GOD.

Services in Miller's hall Sunday at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Conducted by S. J. Lindsay of Oregon.
A cordial invitation to all.

S. A. Lindsay of Oregon will preach in Miller's hall Sunday at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

GERMAN LUTHERAN.

Theo. Drexel, Pastor.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
Main service at 10:30.
The subject of the sermon will be: "The Church at Ephesus and Our Church."
Text, Rev., 1-7.
Choir practice this evening.

ODD FELLOWS HAVE ANNIVERSARY

INITIATION AT MEETING OF REBEKAHS TO TAKE PLACE OF CELEBRATION.

It has been the custom in the Odd Fellows lodge to celebrate the anniversary of the founding of the lodge on April 27. This year no special exercises have been arranged by the lodge, but tonight there will be initiatory work in the Rebekahs lodge, which will be followed by a social session and which will include a program and supper. It is expected that tonight's meeting will, in part, take the form of commemoration of the anniversary event.

WILL PUBLISH LILLIAN RUSSELL'S LATEST SUCCESS

The Telegraph will publish tomorrow one of Lillian Russell's latest successes, "My Own," a charming vocal number. The famous beauty has rendered this selection with great success at the New Brighton theatre, and undoubtedly it will be greatly appreciated by the musicians among the Telegraph's patrons.

"400" ARRAIGNED BY FORMER DIXON MAN

REV. F. D. SHEETS MAKES CAUSTIC REMARKS ABOUT SOME CHURCH MEMBERS.

Rev. F. D. Sheets of the South Park avenue Methodist church, who formerly occupied the pulpit of the Dixon church, in a recent sermon arraigned the church "400" in the following terms:

"The churches today carry an increasing mortgage in a membershiip that contains penurious, intoleraant, unfair, discourteous, dishonest, bigoted, careless, cowardly, careless, selfish men; men who cheat, deceive, who give and steal, who keep and waste, who exaggerate and prevaricate; men who increase their riches and decrease their taxes; men who sing and pray and who "steal the livery of heaven to cheat the devil in."

"I can name different prominent men in Chicago churches to whom you can fit every qualifying term used," he said. "Are these men backsliders, gentiles, without caste or standing, barbarians? No, sir. They are the 'Four Hundred' in church administration and control."

CHICAGO DRILL TEAM WILL PUT ON WORK

FRIENDSHIP LODGE A. F. & A. M. WILL HAVE BIG MEETING TOMORROW.

Third degree work will be given at the Masonic lodge tomorrow night by the degree team of the Austin, Chicago lodge. The occasion will be a big affair and the local lodge is planning to entertain the visitors royally. Supper will be served by the ladies of the Eastern Star after the work. The degree team will arrive from Chicago on the Sterling passenger in a special car and will be met at the station by local members in automobiles and escorted to the Masonic Temple at once. The work will be turned over to the visitors, who will conduct the ritual through the degree. There will be between twenty and twenty-five people from Austin, who will return in their special car at 3:21 a. m.

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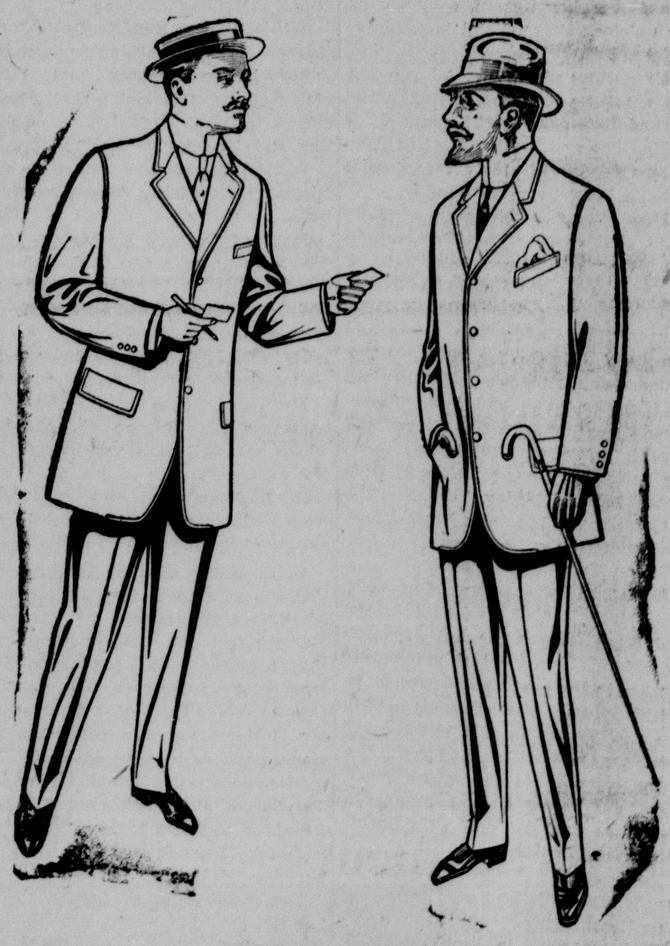

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SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I.—Lieut. Harry Mallory is ordered to the Philippines. He and Marjorie Newton decide to elope, but wreck of taxicab prevents their seeing minister on the way to the train.

CHAPTER II.—Transcontinental train is taking on passengers. Porter has a lively time with an Englishman and Ira Lathrop, a Yankee business man.

CHAPTER III.—The elopers have an exciting time getting to the train.

CHAPTER IV.—"Little Jimmie" Wellington, bound for Reno to get a divorce, boards train in maudlin condition. Later Mrs. Jimmie appears.

CHAPTER V.—She is also bound for Reno with same object. Likewise Mrs. Sammy Whitcomb.

CHAPTER VI.—Latter blames Mrs. Jimmie for her marital troubles. Classmates of Mallory decorate bridal berth.

CHAPTER VII.—Rev. and Mrs. Temple start on a vacation. They decide to cut loose and Temple removes evidence of his calling.

CHAPTER VIII.—Marjorie decides to let Mallory proceed alone, but train starts while they are lost in farewell.

CHAPTER IX.—Passengers join Mallory's classmates in giving couple wedding hazing.

CHAPTER X.—Marjorie is distracted over their situation.

CHAPTER XI.—Ira Lathrop, woman-hating bachelor, discovers an old sweetheart, Anne Gattle, a fellow passenger.

CHAPTER XII.—Mallory vainly hunts for a preacher among the passengers.

CHAPTER XIII.—Mrs. Wellington hears Little Jimmie's voice. Later she meets Mrs. Whitcomb.

CHAPTER XIV.—Mallory reports to Marjorie his failure to find a preacher.

CHAPTER XV.—They decide to pretend a quarrel and Mallory finds a vacant berth.

CHAPTER XVI.—Mrs. Jimmie discovers Wellington on the train.

CHAPTER XVII.—Mallory again makes an unsuccessful hunt for a preacher.

CHAPTER XVIII.—Dr. Temple poses as a physician. Mrs. Temple is induced by Mrs. Wellington to smoke a cigar.

CHAPTER XIX.—Sight of preacher on a station platform raises Mallory's hopes, but he takes another train.

CHAPTER XX.—Missing hand baggage compels the couple to borrow from passengers.

CHAPTER XXI.—Jimmie gets a cinder in his eye and Mrs. Jimmie gives first-aid. Coolness is then resumed.

CHAPTER XXII.—Still no clergyman. More borrowing.

CHAPTER XXIII.—Dr. Temple puzzled by behavior of different couples.

CHAPTER XXIV.—Marjorie's jealousy aroused by Mallory's baseball jargon.

CHAPTER XXV.—Marjorie suggests wrecking the train in hopes that accident will produce a preacher.

CHAPTER XXVI.—Marjorie tries to induce the conductor to hold the train so she can shop.

CHAPTER XXVII.—Marjorie's dog is missing. She pulls the cord, stopping the train. Conductor restores dog and lovers quarrel.

CHAPTER XXVIII.—Lathrop wires for a preacher to marry him and Miss Gattle. Mallory tells Lathrop of his predicament and arranges to borrow the preacher.

CHAPTER XXIX.—Kitty Lewellyn, former sweetheart of Mallory's, appears and arouses Marjorie's jealousy.

CHAPTER XXXVII.

Down Brakes!

Just as Kathleen flung her head in baffled vexation, and Mallory started to slink back to Marjorie, with another defeat, there came an abrupt shock as if that gigantic child to whom our railroad trains are toys, had reached down and laid violent hold on the Trans-American in full career.

Its smooth, swift flight became suddenly such a spasm of jars, shivers and thuds that Mallory cried:

"We're off the track."

He was sent flopping down the aisle like a bolster hurled through the car. He brought up with a sickening slam across the seat into which Marjorie had been jounced back with a breath-taking slam. And then Kathleen came flying backwards and landed in a heap on both of them.

Several of the other passengers were just returning from breakfast and they were shot and scattered all over the car as if a great chain of human beads had burst.

Women screamed, men yelled, and then while they were still struggling against the seats and one another, the train came to a halt.

"Thank God, we stopped in time!" Mallory gasped, as he tried to disengage himself and Marjorie from Kathleen.

The passengers began to regain their courage with their equilibrium. Little Jimmie Wellington had flown the whole length of the car, clinging to his wife as if she were Francesca da Rimini, and he Paolo, flitting through Inferno. The flight ended at the stateroom door with such a thump that Mrs. Fosdick was sure a detective had come for her at last, and with a battering ram.

But when Jimmie got back breath enough to talk, he remembered the train-stopping excitement of the day before and called out:

"Has Mrs. Mallory lost that pup again?"

Everybody laughed uproariously at this. People will laugh at anything or nothing when they have been frightened almost to death and suddenly relieved of anxiety.

Everybody was cracking a joke at Marjorie's expense. Everybody felt a good-natured grudge against her for being such a mystery. The car was ringing with hilarity, when the porter came stumbling in and paused at the door, with eyes all white, hands waving frantically, and lips flapping like flannel, in a vain effort to speak.

The passengers stopped laughing at Marjorie, to laugh at the porter. Ashton sang out:

"What's the matter with you, porter? Are you trying to crow?"

Everybody roared at this, till the porter finally managed to articulate:

"T-t-t-train rob-rob-robbers!"

Silence shut down as if the whole crowd had been smitten with paralysis. From somewhere outside and ahead came a pop-popping as of firecrackers. Everybody thought, "Revolvers!" The reports were mingled with barbaric yells that turned the marrow in every bone to snow.

These regions are full of historic terror. All along the Nevada route the conductor, the brakemen and old travelers had pointed out scene after scene where the Indians had slaked the thirst of the arid land with white man's blood. Ashton, who had traveled this way many times, had made himself fascinatingly horrifying the evening before and ruined several breakfasts that morning in the dining-car, by regaling the passengers with stories of pioneer ordeals, men and women massacred in burning wagons, or dragged away to fiendish cruelty and obscene torture, staked out supine on burning wastes with eyelids cut off, bound down within reach of rattlesnakes, subjected to every misery that human deviltry could devise.

Ashton had brought his fellow passengers to a state of ecstatic excitability, and, like many a recounter of burglar stories at night, had tuned his own nerves to high tension.

The violent stopping of the train, the heart-shaking yells and shots outside, found the passengers already apt to respond without delay to the appeals of fright. After the first hush of dread, came the reaction to panic.

Each passenger showed his own panic in his own way. Ashton whirled round and round, like a horse with the blind staggers, then bolted down the aisle, knocking aside men and women. He climbed on a seat, pulled down an upper berth, and, scrambling into it, tried to shut it on himself. Mrs. Whitcomb was so frightened that she assailed Ashton with fury and seizing his feet, dragged him back into the aisle, and beat him with her fists, demanding that he protect her and save her for Sammy's sake.

Mrs. Fosdick, rushing out of her stateroom and not finding her luscious-eyed husband, laid hold of Jimmie Wellington and ordered him to go to the rescue of her spouse. Mrs. Wellington tore her hands loose, crying: "Let him go, madam. He has a wife of his own to defend."

Jimmie was trying to pour out dying messages, and only sputtering, forgetting that he had put his watch in his mouth to hide it, though its chain was still attached to his waistcoat.

Anne Gattle, who had read much about Chinese atrocities to missionaries, gave herself up to death, yet rejoiced greatly that she had provided a timely man to lean on and should not have to enter Paradise a spinster, providing she could manage to convert Ira in the next few seconds, before it was everlastingly too late. She was begging her first heathen to join her in a gospel hymn. But Ira was roaring curses like a pirate captain in a hurricane, and swearing that the villains should not rob him of his bride.

Mrs. Temple wrung her twitching hands and tried to drag her husband to his knees, crying:

"Oh, Walter, Walter, won't you please say a prayer?—a good strong prayer?"

But the preacher was so confused that he answered: "What's the use of prayer in an emergency like this?"

"Walter!" she shrieked.

"I'm on my va-vacation, you know," he stammered.

Marjorie was trying at the same time to compel Mallory to crawl under a seat and to find a place to hide Snoozleums, whom she was warning not to say a word. Snoozleums, understanding only that his mistress was in some distress, refused to stay in his basket and kept offering his services and his attentions.

Suddenly Marjorie realized that Kathleen was trying to faint in Mallory's arms, and forgot everything else in a determined effort to prevent her.

After the first blood-sweat of abject fright had begun to cool, the passengers came to realize that the invaders were not after lives, but loot. Then came a panic of miserly effort to conceal treasure.

Kathleen, finding herself banished from Mallory's protection, ran to Mrs. Whitcomb, who had given Ashton up as a hopeless task.

"What shall we do, oh, what, oh what shall we do, dear Mrs. Wellington?" she cried.

"Don't you dare call me Mrs. Wellington!" Mrs. Whitcomb screamed; then she began to flutter. "But we'd better hide what we can. I hope the rah-rah-robbers are ge-gentlemen-men."

She pushed a diamond locket containing a small portrait of Sammy into her back hair, leaving part of the chain dangling. Then she tried to stuff a large handbag into her stocking.

Mrs. Fosdick found her husband at last, for he made a wild dash to her side, embraced her, called her his wife and defied all the powers of Nevada to tear them apart. He had a brilliant idea. In order to save his fat wallet from capture, he tossed it through an open window. It fell at the feet of one of the robbers as he ran along the side of the car, shooting at such heads as were put out of windows. He picked it up and dropped it into the feed-bag he had swung at his side. Then running on, he clambered over the brass rail of the observation platform and entered the rear of the train, as his confederate, driving the conductor ahead of him, forged his way aft from the front, while a third masquerader aligned the engineer, the fireman, the brakeman and the baggagemen.

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WEST BROOKLYN NEWS

Ed Henry is having some extensive improvements introduced into his saloon in West Brooklyn, which will be of much convenience for his customers.

The firm of A. M. Bieszhke gave the interior of the Daw ment market another coat of decoration on Tuesday.

Matt Haas & Co. have finished their work at the F. W. Meyer home where they built an addition to the rear of that residence.

H. H. Danekas made a drive to Sublette and Shaw Station on Monday.

Big preparations are completed for the Forrester day in West Brooklyn on Sunday, April 28th.

We extend our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Eri Conibear upon the arrival of a baby boy at their home on Tuesday, April 23rd. Their family now numbers four girls and a boy.

Old line life insurance is the best savings bank in existence. Call at the Gehant Banking Company offices today and open such a savings account by taking out a policy. Their proposition will make you a good investment.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jeanblanc were in town from Compton Tuesday forenoon.

Have you taken particular notice of the various ads in this issue of the News?

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halbmaier visited in our village Tuesday.

Morris July of Shaws visited with his friends and relatives in and near our town Monday.

August Gehant has been re-elected as treasurer of the highway commissioners of Viola township.

N. G. Michael was here from Sublette Tuesday morning visiting his brother Jacob and family.

William Glaser was in town transactng business Monday afternoon.

L. R. Zeller returned home Tuesday morning from Princeton where he visited with old home folks for a few days.

John Acker and wife were in town calling on friends Tuesday morning.

George Meister drove a livery rig to Sublette Monday morning.

The Hutton Comedy Company left West Brooklyn Monday morning, bound for Lostant, Ill., where they will open a week's engagement starting on that same night. They remained in this town for ten days, and played to a very large audience on Saturday night, their last night, and received much applause.

The Forresters held a special meeting Monday night to transact some business in connection with Sunday's program.

Order the West Brooklyn News today. $1.50 per year and worth every cent of it with its two big issues each week.

Jos. Sondgeroth and wife visited at Andrew Gehant's home on Monday evening.

There will be a band practice on Tuesday night as usual, commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. Band boys please take notice.

By calling phone No. 36 you can get a setting of prize winning White Wyandotte's eggs for 75 cents.

Mae Pye and brother Bert of Pawpaw visited with their many relatives in West Brooklyn Sunday.

How does this clubbing arrangement strike you? The West Brooklyn News and Chicago Daily Tribune or Chicago Record Herald for $4.00; The News with The Chicago Daily Journal for $3.50; The News and Breeders' Gazette for $2.50; The News and Wallace's Farmer for $2.25; The News and Iowa Homestead for $2.10; The News and Weekly Inter-Ocean for $2.75.

Charles Barr was a visitor in West Brooklyn on Tuesday

Quite a number from West Brooklyn attended the Seelig's ball at Sublette on Tuesday evening.

Wedding bells are ringing near. Miss Mary Henkel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Henkel of South Brooklyn, is soon to be married to Mr. Peter Happ of Troy Grove in St. Mary's church, West Brooklyn. Both are well known in this vicinity and have the best wishes and congratulations of all. We understand several of our young couples are to be united as husband and wife during the month of June.

Benjamin Jeanblanc who is attending St. Bede College at Peru has been spending a couple of weeks with his parents in Brooklyn township.

Jos. E. Vincent was a business visitor in this village Monday afternoon.

Fred Koehler and family of Sublette visited with the F. L. Oester family in this town on Sunday.

If your horse died without being insured against death, who would you blame? Don't blame any one but insure at once against all kinds of death.

Eugene Henry was in town from Viola on Saturday afternoon visiting with his many relatives and friends.

Miss Julia Hildmann of Sublette visited with her brother and sister and other relatives and friends in this town on Sunday.

Isadore Gehant was a business transactor in West Brooklyn on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sondgeroth of Mendota visited with their two brothers in our city Sunday.

W. B. Oester was in town on business Monday.

Miss Leafy Gehant and Miss Edith Jeanguenat came up from Viola, Mercer county, Illinois on Saturday. The latter is returning to remain at her home while the former returned to Viola on the morning passenger Monday.

F. H. Delhotal was in town from Lee Center township on Saturday afternoon.

Mesdames W. J. Long and Oliver L. Gehant returned from a days visit in Chicago on Saturday night.

John Untz, Sr., was in town on business Tuesday forenoon.

Miss Eva Arnould visited in Ashton with her folks over Sunday.

Chris July was in town transacting business on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Henry of Paw paw visited at the home of their parents in West Brooklyn Sunday.

Geo. J. Montavon was in town from Lee Center township on business Saturday.

The Misses Carrie and Mary Berschied returned home from a few days visit in Aurora on Saturday night.

Mrs. Frank Herman came bask from Compton Saturday evening after visiting during the day with her sister.

Miss Kathryn Bernardin went to the Chandler hospital Sunday where she underwent an operation for appendicitis on the day following. We wish her a rapid recovery and a restoration of good health.

Frank Biers was transacting business in West Brooklyn on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Jeanblanc returned from Chicago Saturday evening after a two days stay on business.

Andrew Barr was a visitor in town Monday evening.

Dan Leonard of Harmon stopped in West Brooklyn for a few minutes on Saturday night.

Amel Henry went down to Amboy on the evening train Saturday for a visit at the home of his father in law.

The base ball meeting called for Sunday morning failed to materalize and as a result nothing was accomplished.

Mrs. Elizabeth Berthold was a morning passenger to her home in Aurora Monday.

Dolores Long came back from a visit in Harmon with her grand parents on Monday morning.

Willie Biggart went to Davis Junction on Monday morning's passenger

Mrs. Nellye Dempsey and baby Helen of Dixon visited with her two sisters in West Brooklyn on Monday and Tuesday.

David Burkerdt and wife were visiting in this village Tuesday afternoon.

Many of the local K. C.'s are planning on making a trip to Amboy on Sunday May 5th to attend a banquet and third degree initiation of a class during the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hoerner were visitors in town on Saturday evening

Mrs. Mary Leva was a morning passenger for Chicago Wednesday where she will visit relatives for a few days.

A. F. Jeanguenat was in town from Viola transacting business Wednesday.

L. R. Zeller went to Freeport on Tuesday afternoon. He has purchased the rental interests of Andrew Huibsch into his farm and will till that together with the adjoining farm of Fred Hoerner this summer Due to his attack of rheumatism Mr. Huibsch is unable to take up his work again for a time at least.

Mrs. Jacob Graf went to Amboy Tuesday evening for a visit with her daughter and family near that town

Frank Hoerner was in town on business Wednesday forenoon.

Mrs. Addie Ross of Amboy visited her father in West Brooklyn on Wednesday.

Supervisor U. G. Dysart of Viola township was in this village Wednesday.

Mesdames Henry Hildman and Josie Harris returned home Tuesday from Berwyn where they were visiting for a few days.

J. W. Their was a business visitor in West Brooklyn Wednesday morning.

Several of the young men of West Brooklyn have scheduled a Seelig's grand ball for the local opera house on May 14th.

Mrs. Frank Herman went to Compton Wednesday for a visit with her sister and husband.

The morning passenger Wednesday was considerably late upon its leaving West Brooklyn, due to a very bad case of hot box in one of the gearings of the engine attached coal car.

Louis Wiser of Bradford was a visitor in West Brooklyn Wednesday.

Mrs. A. L. Derr and daughter, Ethel, also Miss Clara Oester, were visiting with friends and acquaintances in Mendota Tuesday.

Mrs. Joseph Chaon visited with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Glaser, in Compton Tuesday.

We are in receipt of a letter from our former citizen and friend, Nicholas Spinnler of Howard, South Dakota, in which he tells us of the condition of affairs in their vicinity and in which he tells also of the good health possessed by the family. They had an excitement near Howard a few days ago when one of the fast trains left the track and piled things up for a time. It was a miraculous escape from injury that the passengers experienced, according to the letter, for no one was killed or hurt very bad. Rainy weather of late has kept the farmers near Howard from completing their seeding, but they hope to soon be at it again as the weather seems to be drying up a little. We are always glad to hear from Mr. Spinnler, and hope he writes often.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gallisath were calling on their many friends and relatives in town Wednesday afternoon.

OBITUARY

William H. Cooper was born in Dunnington, Lincolnshire, England, December 14, 1849, and died at his home in Conway, Ia., April 19, 1912, being 62 years, 4 months and 5 days old. He was the eldest of nine children, born to William and Hannah Cooper.

When but nine months old he emigrated with his parents to America, settling in New York state, where they resided for five years, then moved to Lee county, Illinois. And in 1878 came to Iowa, and for a period of two years lived in Holt township, near the site of the present town of Guss, in Taylor. From that place Brother Cooper moved to a farm about two and one-half miles out of Conway where he lived until about eight years ago, when he, with his estimable family, retired from the farm and came to Conway.

He was married to Mary E. McCausland, December 6th, 1876 at Sublette, Ill. To this union were born eight children, namely—Harry G. of Los Angeles, California; John C., (deceased;) Frank Raymond, (deceased;) Mable C., of Conway; Godfrey of Conway; Ruth J. also of Conway, and Elton, (deceased.) Thus it will be seen that four children have preceded him to the life beyond the sepulchre. There is left to mourn his going, his faithful wife, who for more than thirty-three years has been his constant companion and worthy helpmate. Four children above named, three brothers,—John R. Cooper, and Joseph Cooper of Conway, Ia., and Frank Cooper of West Brooklyn, Ill., and three sisters, Mrs. Mattie Yocum of West Brooklyn; Mrs. Jennie Staup of Amboy, Ill.; and Mrs. W. H. Carnahan of Compton, Ill., besides a large number of more distant kinsfolk, and an innumerable host of admiring friends. These are all comforted in the assurance given in his own testimony, and in his consistent christian character. To him death was only a promotion, in that while his body remains to return to earth from whence it came, his spirit has returned to God who gave it. Brother Cooper was trained by Christian parents and was christened in the church of England in early infancy. He made a public profession of faith in Jesus Christ in 1877 and at that time united with the Methodist Episcopal church, under the pastoral influence of Rev. C. H. Hoffman. He has, for many years been identified with the church in Conway, and has, during most of that time faithfully and cheerfully served on the official board and was at that time of his death, one of the stewards of his church, always a friend and safe counsellor of his pastor, whoever the conference sent in that capacity.

For several years Brother Cooper has been in failing health, and for many months has been a very great sufferer, but without complaint, always cheerful and consciously awaiting the summons to exchange earth for heaven.

Funeral services were held in the Methodist Episcopal church in Conway, Ia., on Sunday, April 21, at 2 o'clock, the sermon being preached by his pastor, Rev. Harvey H. Newman. Many rich floral offerings were presented by relatives friends, and the church of which he was so long a member.

NACHUSA.

April 24—E. E. Loot and family and Miss Grace Drenner of South Dixon spent Sunday with Mrs. Fannie Bossemeyer and Mrs. Henrietta Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Dysart and son Wilson were entertained Sunday at the Mrs. Wm. DePuy home at Mt. Union.

Mrs. E. L. Crawford entertained at dinner Tuesday Mrs. Francis Dysart, Mrs. Wm. Woolley and Miss Grace Crawford of Dixon, and Mrs. M. L. Dysart.

Mrs. Harry Weyant and Mrs. R. B. DePuy were shopping in Dixon on Tuesday.

Oscar Eicholtz is having a beautiful new porch built onto his house.

Mrs. Fannie Bossemeyer was in Dixon Monday transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Reese and daughter were entertained at the Willis Nester home Sunday.

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NOTICE OF PUBLICATION—CHANCERY.

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss.

In the Circuit Court. In Vacation. City of Dixon, a municipal corporation, vs. Martin Steinmann, Michael Maloney, Josiah Fry, Edmund D. Rossiter, Hattie Rossiter, Angeline Page and the unknown heirs of Amos C. Stedman, deceased. No. 2954. In Chancery.

Affidavit of non-residence of the unknown heirs of Amos C. Stedman, deceased; impleaded with the other above-named defendants, having been filed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, notice is therefore hereby given to the said non-resident defendants that the Complainant filed its Petition in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, on the third day of April, 1912, and that thereupon a Summons issued out of said Court, returnable on the thirteenth of the month of May, A. D. 1912, as is by law required; which cause is now pending and undetermined in said Court.

WM. B. McMAHAN,
Clerk.

By Ira W. Lewis, Deputy.
Dixon, Illinois, April 3, 1912.
Mark C. Keller,
Solicitor for Petitioners.

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WANTED. A live, competent man to represent them in Dixon and vicinity. High grade contract. Address, Manufacturers & Merchants Life, Rockford, Ill. 68mo1

WANTED All kinds of market horses bought and sold at Reed & Burright's Livery Stable. Phone 26. 94tf

WANTED. Girl for general housework. Enquire of Mrs. D. F. Rein, both, Amboy, Ill. 95tf

WANTED. A few washings. Will call for and deliver, or work by the day. 611 Jackson Ave. 95 6*

WANTED. A place to board two children, 3 and 4 years oold, for about one month. Mother taken to hospital. Call Telegraph office. 97 3*

WANTED. Agents for the best house hold novelty on the market. You can make $8 per day and up. Call between 6 and 9 p. m. and 8 to 9 a. m. at Nachusa House. Call LeRoy. 97 3*

WANTED. Man with $50 to invest to take up local agency. Best thing on the market. Call LeRoy at Nachusa House. Call between 8 to 9 a. m. and 8 to 9 p. m. 97 3*

WANTED at once, experienced maker at Mrs. Miller's ne wmillinery store. 314 W. First St. 97 3

WANTED. Ladies to demonstrate for old reliable firm. Good salary. Commission and car fare to willing workers. Address H. W. Co., Care Telegraph. 97 3

WANTED. Good outside painter, at the Dixon Paint Store, 107 Hennepin Ave., Dixon, Ill. 97 3

FOR SALE.

Six choice Red Pole and Durham milk cows for sale, with an average yearly milk record of 8,000 lbs for the past three years; also five grade Holstein heifers coming three and four years old, daughters of the above cows. They are all milking, and are bred to a pure bred Holstein sire, whose sires and dams all have advanced registered official daughters to the fifth generation. I. B. Countryman, Dixon, Ill. 92 6*

FOR SALE. Thirteen choice thrifty pigs. Fred Drew, Route 1. 95 6

FOR SALE. Strawberry plants; and White Leghorn eggs for setting. Good laying strain, some birds scoring from 93 to 95 points. Chas. Hey, R. 3, Phone H 111. 93 12

FOR SALE

FOR SALE. Garden seeds in bulk, timothy seed, clovers, Mammoth, Medium, Alsyke, alfalfa, rape and lawn seed; seed potatoes. Baby chick and poultry supplies. Alfalfa hay. Geo. D. Laing. 81 24

As farmers in Canada are going broke and land prices tumbling no one will buy it. I have talked and advertised for ten years that only a third or less of either of the Dakotas was good for farming and the good part of S. D. too high to buy. The last two crops show what is best. Cavalier county had crops in 1910 that paid for the land and also in 1911. 1912 promises much better and I will still give you a chance to pay for a farm with one crop. As an investment land here will pay better interst on $100 an acre than land in Ill. at the prices it is selling at as there so much of the rent has to be paid out for taxes, improvements and insurance. Having been here over ten years I predict Hundred Dollar land here in five to seven years. The farmers here are buying it and they are making money faster than any other farmers in the world.

FOR SALE. Eggs for hatching, from Barred Plymouth Rocks. Ringlet Strain. 40c for 15. Mrs. B. M. Rolph, 1123 Highland. Phone 14509. 97 6

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FOR SALE. Gravel and sand. Will furnish it anywhere, in this city or elsewhere. Ben McWilliams, telephone 13. 307 Grant Ave., Dixon. 79tf

FOR SALE. **S.C. Buff Orpingtons, Martz and Owen strains, Houdans faulttell strain, four buff and four Houdan cockerels for sale reasonable. Both breeds winners of the blue at Mendota show; eggs from both breeds for sale at $1.50 and $2 per 15, fertility guaranteed. John C. Taylor, Steward, Ill. st21jun12**

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FOR SALE. A cottage at Assembly grounds. Apply to M. H. Vail, 814 E. Fellows St. 98 6

FOR SALE. 1 Babcock top buggy, 1 Babcock runabout, 1 set of light harness, 1 set of surrey harness, leather flynet and 150 feet of hay rope. Hiesland's Livery Barn. 98 3

FOR SALE. Household furniture and stove. Enquire 414 Peoria Ave. 96 3

FOR SALE. 5 room cottage, nearly new; furnace and gas; corner lot, 66x132, corner Pine St. and Walnut Ave., Hines Add. Will H. Phillips. 74tf

FOR SALE. Choice "Hundred Old" seed potatoes. R. Route 5. Phone 8210. Call Glen G. Burkett. 92 6*

FOR SALE. Maxwell runabout, in fine condition. Enquire at Joe Miller's Garage. 92 tf

FOR SALE. Gravel, sand and black dirt. Easy place to get in and out of. Come and see me before you buy elsewhere. Phone 12680. 95 6*

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FOR RENT. Strictly modern house. Apply J. A. Forrest. 85tf

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FOR RENT. Two fine rooms for rent in Shaw Building. Hardwood finish, electric lights, city water. Strictly modern. Enquire at the Evening Telegraph Office. tf

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FOR RENT OR SALE. House of six rooms at 1222 W. Sixth St. Enquire of Jacob Egler or F. E. Stiteley Co. 97 3*

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LOST

LOST. A Boy Scout's knife. Bobbie Shaw, Bluff Park, Phone No. 5. 89tf

LOST. Will the person who by mistake took umbrella (large black one with name Mrs. E. H. Thomas printed inside) from the meeting of the D. A. R. on last Saturday afternoon please return it and receive her own, which she left in place of the other? Mrs. T. H. Eustace, Nachusa House. 84tf

REFUSED TITANIC AID

Passenger on Mount Temple Says Captain Was Afraid.

Ice Fields Were So Extensive He Declined to Risk His Ship and Her Load.

Strathcona, Canada, April 26.—E. W. Zurich, who crossed from Antwerp to St. John, N. B., on the Canadian Pacific railway steamer Mount Temple, has made a statement here concerning what was observed from the Mount Temple at sea the Sunday night the Titanic went down.

According to Mr. Zurich, passengers on board the Mount Temple heard of the Titanic distress at 12:15 o'clock Monday morning, when a wireless call for help was caught. Captain Moore changed his vessel's course at once and headed for the Titanic. Lifeboats were swung from davits meanwhile and other preparations were made for lending assistance.

The northern course was not held long, however, says Mr. Zurich, because a great field of ice loomed up ahead.

It was reported among crew and passengers, according to Mr. Zurich, that Captain Moore made no further efforts to penetrate the floes, saying he could not afford to endanger the 2,000 souls aboard his ship.

The statement of Doctor Quitzrau that passengers and crew believed they could see the lights of the unfortunate Titanic is borne out by Mr. Zurich. With two companion passengers he disobeyed the captain's orders, which forbade passengers entrance to the upper deck at any time.

He is fairly positive that they saw the masts of the Titanic, and he says he is not ready to accept the assertion that their ship was at least forty miles from the wrecked liner at the time.

TO VOTE ON ARBITRATION

Railroad Engineers to Ballot on Matter Says Chief Stone.

New York, April 26.—Grand Chief Warren S. Stone of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, after a conference with Judge Martin A. Knapp of the commerce court, and United States Labor Commissioner Charles P. Neill, said that the matter of arbitrating the dispute between the railway managers and the engineers would be submitted to the committee of fifty eastern divisions of engine drivers for a vote.

PARIS BANDITS CAPTURED

Five Seized Following Killing of Assistant Police Chief.

Paris, April 26.—The police arrested five minor members of the robber band which has been terrorizing Paris by a series of automobile robberies. Bonnot, the desperado who killed Assistant Superintendent of Police Jouin and severely wounded Inspector Colmar when these officers attempted to arrest him, has not yet been captured, although nearly the entire police force is on duty.

180,000 MINERS WIN OUT

Anthracite Workers Are Victorious In Wage Demands From Operators.

New York, April 26.—The threatened strike of 180,000 anthracite coal miners, which has been pending for two months, has been practically settled with victory for the miners, it was announced here by representatives of the strike committee of the miners, who are in conference at the Hotel Victoria here.

Illinois House Adjourns.

Springfield, Ill., April 26.—Acting under the unanimous consent of the membership and with only a half dozen members present, the house advanced the senate appropriation bills in the calendar and adjourned to May 8.

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Local evidence proves their merit. Mrs. C. Charlton, 77 Peoria Ave. Dixon, Ill., says: I was in poor health for some time and the result of disordered kidneys. My back bothered me a great deal, being very weak stiff and lame. I tired easily and had various other symptoms of kidney complaint. Finally I got a box of Doan's Kidney Pills at Leake Bros. Co.'s Drug Store and their use soon relieved me." (Statement given April 14, 1909)

Confirmed Proof.

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Range of Prices on Chicago Board of Trade:

Chicago, Apr. 26, 1912.

Wheat—				
May	114¼	115⅝	114	115⅝
July	110¼	112¾	109¾	112⅝
Sept	106¼	108½	105¾	108⅜
Corn—				
May	80¾S	80⅞	79⅝S	79¾
July	78	78	77½	77⅝
Sept	75⅝	75¾	75⅜	75⅝
Oats—				
May	57⅞	58	57⅜	57⅝
July	54⅝	54⅝S	54¼	54½
Sept	44½	44⅝S	44⅜	44½
Pork—				
May	1860	1905	1860	1905
July	1890	1930	1890	1935
Lard—				
May	1070	1087	1055	1085
July	1085	1102	1075	1102
Ribs—				
May	1010	1022	1010	1017
July	1035	1047	1035	1045

Hogs open 5c higher than yesterday's average.

Left over—11,740.
Light—740—785.
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Cattle strong. Sheep steady.

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Hogs—10,000.
Cattle—1,500.
Sheep—7,000.
Hogs close 10c higher.
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ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R. TIME TABLE, Dixon, Illinois.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. : Daily. *Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.

:123 Express	11:15 a. m.
*131 Clinton Exp.	5:10 p. m.
*191 Amboy Frt.	8:50 a. m.

North Bound.

*132 Ft. Dodge Exp.	9:50 a. m.
1124 Local Mail	5:30 p. m.
*192 Freeport Frt.	12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No.	Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6	3:21 a. m	6:45 a. m.
10	5:46 a. m.	8:30 a. m.
24	6:23 a. m.	9:05 a. m.
28	7:21 a. m.	10:15 a. m.
8	8:33 a. m.	11:20 a. m.
14	10:55 a. m.	1:30 p. m.
20	11:15 a. m. d'ly ex Sun	2:40 p. m.
18	4:04 p. m. d'ly exSun	7:25 p. m.
100	4:15 p. m. Sun only	7:35 p. m.
1[illegible]	6:10 p. m.	8:45 p. m.

WEST BOUND.

No.	Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
17	7:00 a. m. ex Sun	10:14 a. m.
99	7:30 a. m. Sun only	10:43 a. m.
13	9:30 a. m.	12:06 p. m.
19	12:30 p. m. ex Sun	3:43 p. m.
27	4:35 p. m.	7:29 p. m.
*11	6:05 p. m.	8:40 p. m.
25	6:10 p. m.	8:57 p. m.
**1	8:30 p. m.	11:0[illegible] p. m.
7	10:16 p. m.	12:53 a. m.
3	10:45 p. m.	1:57 a. m.

801 Peoria Pas. lv. Dixon 8:35 a. m ar. Peoria 11:52 a. m.

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DIXON. CITY

West Bound Read Down				East Bound Read Up		
10	30	50	Assembly Park	20	50	10
13	33	53	Galena & Fellows	27	47	7
17	37	57	Galena & First	23	43	3
20	40	60	Office	20	40	60
30	50	10	Depots	10	30	50

Figures denote min. past the hour. From 6:20 a. m. until 11 p. m. Sunday, first car at 7 a. m.

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Scorpion's Fainting Fit.

The scorpion that is placed in the center of a ring of coals does not commit suicide by stinging himself to death, as has been claimed. In lands where the scorpion abounds it is a regular pastime among countrymen to ring a scorpion with fire and watch him commit, as is believed, the happy despatch. Nevertheless, the scorpion has the last laugh, as it were.

The scorpion, though an inhabitant of torrid regions, is so delicately organized that a very slight increase above the normal temperature produces a condition in him analogous to a fainting fit. Driven desperate by the heat, he lashes his tail wildly, giving the impression that he is plunging his sting into his own body. Then he falls motionless. As a presumably dead scorpion has no further interest for the spectators, he is usually left where he has fallen, and, after the fire has died down, he recovers and crawls away.

Peacock Throne of Persia.

The throne, itself, which now graces the audience hall of the Persian Shahan-Shah, or "King of Kings," is a magnificent work of art, sumptuous in the extreme. It is a jeweled platform, sometimes compared to a "field bed," about four feet high and five feet by eight feet in area, resting on six massive legs, with four additional supports, and mounted by a double step. A heavy railing, decorated with metal knobs and finials, emboxes the rug-bedecked seat, and rises at the rear to form an elevated back, against which the shah sits in Oriental fashion, supported by a bolster-cushion and surrounded by pillows. The rich incrustations of jewels, the highly ornate character of the lacquer work, and the delicacy of the traceries and arabesque designs impart to the throne an exquisiteness of finish and beauty that is quite its own.—From Constantinople to Persia, by A. V. W. Jackson.

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"Philbrick, I never have the slightest trouble in remembering your name. I think of 'jackpot' and I've got you at once."

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WALKOUT ON LINER OLYMPIC LEADS TO A DEADLOCK.

Demand That Men Who Would Not Strike be Dismissed Is Refused by Company.

Southampton, England, April 26.—The situation in connection with the White Star liner Olympic was complicated by a sudden demand of the British Seafarers' union that the White Star company dismiss 18 firemen belonging to the union who remained on the Olympic. Otherwise the seafarers' union declares the firemen and oilers who left the ship would not return. The demand was made by a deputation of strikers and other members of the seafarers' union, who went on board the liner to test the new collapsible lifeboats installed since the disaster to the Titanic.

The company has refused to consider the men's demands, and declares it prefers to take the liner back to Southampton and lay her up. Matters seem, therefore, to have reached a deadlock. The 300 striking engine room hands are on the quay side with their kit bags awaiting the return of the deputation in readiness to embark if the dispute is settled.

The Olympic is still lying off Ryde, Isle of Wight, the officers having succeeded in obtaining only a fifth of the necessary firemen to work the ship.

A number of officials of the board of trade went aboard the liner and the vessel's enforced stay was utilized for the carrying out of lifeboat drills. All the wooden lifeboats were lowered and the crew also practiced with the collapsible craft.

One thousand four hundred passengers are aboard the Olympic.

Sails to Aid China Reforms.

New York, April 26.—Dr. Hin Wong, a Chinese student at Columbia university and a graduate of the School of Journalism of the University of Missouri, will leave the United States this week to join Dr. Sun Yat Sen, as a special agent in the Chinese reformer's plans for the industrial development of South China.

Champ Clark Taken Ill.

Washington, April 26.—Speaker Clark while in his office, suffered an attack of lumbago and later went to his home. His illness is not serious.

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

Chicago, April 25.

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
Wheat—				
May	1.14⅛-½	1.14½	1.13¾	1.14
July	1.10¾-10	1.10⅝	1.09½-⅝	1.10⅛
Sept.	1.06	1.06¼	1.05½	1.05⅞
Corn—				
May	.79½-80½	.81	.79⅛	.80⅛
July	.77⅜-½	.78⅛-¼	.77⅜	.77⅜
Sept.	.75⅛-⅜	.76⅛	.75⅛	.75⅜
Oats—				
May	.57¾-⅝	.58⅛	.57½	.57⅝
July	.54½-⅝	.54⅝-⅝	.54⅜-½	.54½
Sept.	.44⅛-½	.44⅝	.44⅛	.44½

FLOUR—Market firm; winter wheat, jute, $4.40@4.60; straight, jute, $4.20@4.30; clear, jute, $3.70@3.85; straight, wheat, special brands, wood, $6.30; Minnesota, patent, jute, $4.90@5.10; Minnesota, hard, spring, straight, export bags, $4.75@4.80; first clears, $3.80@4.10; seconds clears, $3.30 jute, $4.50@4.65; dark, $4.30@4.50.

BUTTER—Creamery, 31c; price to retail dealers, 32½c; prints, 33½c; extra firsts, 30c; firsts, 29c; seconds, 28c; dairies, 28c; firsts, 26c; seconds, 24c; No. 1 ladles, 28c; packing stock, 22c.

EGGS—Miscellaneous lots, cases included, 17@17½c; cases returned, 16½@17c; ordinary firsts, 17½c; firsts, 18½c; extra, candled for city trade, 21c; No. 1 dirties, 17c; checks, 16c.

POTATOES—Wisconsin, $1.22@1.27; Michigan $1.25@1.30; Minnesota, $1.25@1.30.

LIVE POULTRY—Turkeys, per lb., 12c; chickens, fowls, 13½c; roosters, 10c; geese, 9c; ducks, 15c.

New York, April 25.

WHEAT—Stronger, fair trade; No. 1 northern, spring, $1.26¾; No. 2 red, $1.21; No. 2 hard, $1.24½; No. 1 Manitoba, $1.15½; May, $1.20½; July, $1.15¾.

CORN—Higher, quotations nominal; No. 2, 87½@92½.

OATS—Steady, dealings slow; No. 2 white, 64c; standard, 64c; ungraded, 63@67½c.

BARLEY—Quiet; malting, $1.25@1.38.

Live Stock.

Chicago, April 25.

CATTLE—Good to prime steers, $7.50@8.90; fair to good beeves, $6.25@7.50; common to fair beeves, $5.00@6.25; inferior killers, $4.00@5.00; distillery steers, $7.00@8.60; fair to fancy yearlings, $6.50@8.25; good to choice cows, $4.40@6.25; canner bulls, $2.50@3.00; common to good calves, $4.50@6.00; good to choice vealers, $7.00@8.10; heavy calves, $5.00@6.50; feeding calves, $4.45@6.25; stockers, $3.25@5.25; common to choice feeders, $5.00@6.50; medium to good beef cows, $3.50@4.00; common to good cutters, $3.00@3.75; inferior to good canners, $2.75@3.25; fair to choice heifers, $4.50@7.40.

HOGS—Prime heavy butchers, 240@300 lbs., $7.80@7.90; choice butchers, 200@250 lbs., $7.70@7.85; fair to good butchers, $7.65@7.80; fair to choice heavy packing, $7.70@7.80; light mixed, 180 lbs. and up, $7.60@7.70; choice light, 170@200 lbs., $7.65@7.75; pigs, 110 lbs and under, $4.50@5.50.

East Buffalo, N. Y., April 25.

CATTLE—Market active and steady; prime steers, $8.25@8.65; butcher grades, $3.00@7.75; calves, cull to choice, $6.25@9.25.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market active, 25c higher; choice lambs, $8.40@8.60; cull to fair, $6.00@8.25; yearlings, $7.00@7.25; sheep, $3.00@6.75; wool lambs, $7.50@9.65.

HOGS—Market active, 15@25c higher; Yorkers, $8.00@8.30; pigs, $7.75; mixed, $8.30@8.40; heavy, $8.25@8.30; roughs, $7.00@7.40; stags, $6.00@6.25.

South Omaha, April 25.

CATTLE—Native steers, $6.25@8.45; cows and heifers, $3.75@7.25; western steers, $4.75@7.25; Texas steers, $4.50@6.50; range cows and heifers, $3.25@6.00; canners, $2.75@4.25; stockers and feeders, $4.25@7.00; calves, $4.00@7.50; bulls, stags, etc., $4.25@6.50.

HOGS—Heavy, $7.45@7.60; mixed, $7.30@7.50; light, $7.20@7.50; light, $7.20@7.50; pigs, $6.00@7.25; bulk of sales, $7.30@7.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Yearlings, $6.50@7.50; wethers, $6.00@7.00; ewes, $5.25@6.25; lambs, $7.50@8.40.

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HOUSE PASSES WOODMEN BILL

Measure With the Emergency Clause Stricken Out, Is Approved—Vote Is Eighty-Three Ayes to Six Noes.

Springfield, April 26.—With the emergency clause stricken out, the Modern Woodmen bill prohibiting an increase in rates until January 1, 1915, passed the house by a vote of 83 ayes to 6 noes. The bill, if it passes the senate, will become effective July 1, 1913. Scores of Woodmen were upon the floor of the house when it convened lobbying with their members both for and against the Donohue bill. On motion of Representative Alexander the rules were strictly enforced and all visitors not entitled to the privilege of the floor were sent to the gallery.

Dreams of Titanic; Leaps.

Kankakee, April 26.—C. P. Coalhurst, a well-known retired farmer of Cabery, while dreaming he was on the Titanic and attempting to leap into the waves of the sea, jumped through the second-story window of his home to the ground below. He did not stop to open the window and cut his face and neck painfully. Aside from being badly shaken up, bruised and scratched, he was none the worse for his nightmare. He had been talking all evening about the Titanic disaster. He is an excellent swimmer and had stated that when the ship had started sinking he would have trusted his life to the waves.

Agree on Mine Wage Scale.

Peoria, April 26.—The scale committee of the Illinois Mine Operators' association and the Illinois district of the United Mine Workers of America came to a formal agreement, the terms of which were drawn up in a working contract, which will go into force the moment a favorable referendum vote is obtained. Miners in Illinois who have been out of work under a suspension of business, will go to work in the majority of the mines of the state.

Ship Thirty-Five Cars of Rhubarb.

Alto Pass., April 26.—More than thirty-five cars of rhubarb have been shipped from here to Chicagoans since the season started two weeks ago. If the price warrants about that much more will be shipped before the close of the season. Each car contains about 500 bushel boxes, making the total number of boxes already shipped over 17,000. This has brought approximately $17,000 into this community.

Meeting Opens in Duquoin.

Duquoin, April 26.—The spring session of the Southern Illinois Baptist Ministerial institute convened at the First Baptist church here. More than fifty ministers are here. The semi-annual meeting of the Baptist missionary board was held in connection with the session. Rev. A. M. Kirkland of Eldorado is presiding over the institute.

Ground Broken for Urbana Line.

Paxton, April 26.—Ground was broken in Urbana on the new Kankakee and Urbana Electric Interurban railway, which will run through this city. The work of construction will proceed at the cost of $1,000 to $2,000 per day. Work and materials will be of a most substantial character.

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Obesity.

Obesity is nearly always the body's vote of censure for eating too much food, or taking too little exercise, and it is only necessary properly to balance the income and expenditure in order to keep a well-nourished body. It is important to note that it is usually around those muscles which are rarely exercised in any adequate manner that fat accumulates, e. g., the abdominal muscles.—Alexander Bryce, "Life and Health."

Censorship in Russia.

It is pleasant to learn—the story is current in many a Russian household—that the cookery books which had been condemned because a recipe contained the words "perfect freedom," words which were used in reference to some culinary process, have escaped further mutilation and have been selling without hindrance. On the other hand the list of books which continue to be suppressed is long and varied.

Bones Act as Barometer.

The merits of bone as an indicator of fair or foul weather have been vouched for by the captain of an Italian steamer carrying a cargo of bones from the South American port of Buenos Aires to New York. When the ship was sailing toward a storm the skipper stated, recently, the bones creaked and moaned, and when fair weather was ahead they were silent again.

Intermarriage in Brittany.

In accordance with the custom which has made the picturesque province of Brittany famous, twenty-six couples were married at once, at Plougastel, one recent morning. In the village there are only some eight or nine family names, and the village folk never marry outside of their community. Last year there were forty-two marriages.

The Right to Smoke.

"Do you think it looks well for women to smoke as they do in some Spanish-speaking countries?" "Well," replied the worried Londoner; "it's this way: If they're smokin' they're likely either to be quiet and comfortable, or if they're not used to it just the opposite. And either way's a good chance of keepin' 'em out of the suffragette parade."

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Quincy to Bar Suggestive Dances.

Quincy, April 26.—The board of aldermen of Quincy has instructed the chief of police to see that such dances as "turkey trot," "grizzly bear," "bunny hug" and "bear cat" are eliminated from programs at public parks during the approaching season.

Paxton Forms Boy Scout Society.

Paxton, April 26.—A Boy Scout society was organized in Paxton with the following officers: E. A. Garner, president; W. H. Westbrook, vice-president; G. G. Eddy, secretary; W. B. Henderson, treasurer; S. S. Fuller, scout commander.

Shoots Employer and Gives Up.

Cairo, April 26.—James G. Forgey, a Bird's Point farmer, was shot and killed by Oscar Parsons, a white man in his employ. Parsons gave himself up, but would not make a statement.

Wyoming "Drys" Win.

Wyoming, April 26.—The action brought by Wyoming saloonkeepers to declare void the local option vote in this city resulted in a victory for the "drys." The suit was dismissed.

Illinoisan, 36, Weds Girl, 16.

Chester, April 26.—Joseph Wade, thirty-six, and Miss Lottie Bank, sixteen, and until recently a pupil in the eighth grade, were married in Chester.

Woman Gets Verdict for $5,000

Quincy, April 26.—Miss Marie Hatcher was awarded $5,000 against the Quincy Street Railway company for injuries sustained in an accident.

Lincoln Farmer Killed.

Lincoln, April 26.—Fletcher Layton, a retired farmer, was killed here when run down by an Illinois Central passenger train.

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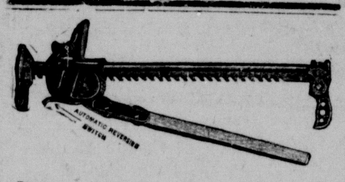

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